In an effort to make up for some of the lost ski revenue. Hanson Park will host a Las Vegas Night at the park on Saturday evening, April 7. Doors will open at 7:00 p.m. and play will continue until 2:00 a.m. The admission price of \$5.00 in advance and \$6.00 at the door includes \$2.00 worth of play chips. Included in the night's activities will be Black Jack, Beat the Dealer, Vantage, and a Wheel of Fortune. The park refreshment bar will be open, however, those who wish refreshments stronger than soft drinks and coffee should plan to B.Y.O.B.

Park Officials would also like to announce that the Arcade and Putter Golf will be open all weekend from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Saturday and from noon until 5:00 p.m. on Sunday.

The Grayling Fish Hatchery Needs You

With the advent of trout season, comes a very special time for the Grayling Fish Hatchery. We are about to begin our second year of operation, one in which we hope to see 50,000 tourists pass through our gates by season's end. That should have a very positive effect on the local economy.

Many citizens, businesses, groups and service clubs helped us financially through that first year and we are very grateful.

Once again it appears that we need your financial support for the operation of the fish hatchery. While our admission remains free, the only means we have of raising money is through selling fish feed and your donations.

Won't you help us keep the Grayling Fish Hatchery a viable tourist attraction once again this year? Your tax deductible donation would be greatly appreciated: Grayling Fish Hatchery, Grayling, Mi. 49738.

Spring Fashion Show April 7th

St. Mary's Altar Society will again be holding their annual Spring Fashion Show at St. Mary's Family Center on Saturday, April 7th.

Luncheon, featuring Club Sandwiches, Potato Salad. carrot curls and Chocolate sundaes will be served at 11:30, with the Fashion Show beginning at 1:00 p.m. Cost is \$4.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children.

Come join us and see the latest fashions. Tickets can be purchased at Mac's Drug Store, Weaver's Gifts and from Alice at the Avalanche office.

Tickets Available April 9th

Broadway Musical "Annie" To Be Staged in Grayling

The award winning Broadway Musical "Annie" will be presented on May 10, 11 and 12, 1984 in Grayling's Joseph Stripe Auditorium. The musical, which is based on the cartoon strip "Little Orphan Annie" is being presented in four performances by the Grayling High School Players. Tickets for Annie may be ordered from the Community School Office in Grayling. Price of admission for the evening performances has been set at \$3.50 with all tickets being reserved seat tickets. A special matinee performance has been scheduled for May 12 especially for the Grandparents/grandchildren of the area. For this one performance, children in grades kindergarten through 6 and senior citizens will be admitted for \$1.50. Anyone who wishes to attend the matinee performance but does not fall into one of the age groupings, will be asked to pay the full admission price of \$3.50. All matinee tickets are general admission tickets. For your convenience, a ticket order form appears elsewhere in this issue.

Booster Club Steak Dinner Saturday

The annual Grayling Booster Club swiss steak dinner will be held 4:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Saturday, April 7, at Patty's Country House. Tickets are \$5 each and \$2.50 for children.

Cub Scout Pack 3993 Benefit Basketball Game

Cub Scout Pack 3993 - Dads vs. Crawford County Deputy Sheriff's Assn.

This famous annual basketball game will be played April 11, 1984 at 7:00 p.m. in the Middle School Gym.

Tickets are \$1.00 and can be purchased from local

deputies and the Cub Scouts. Range Firing Conducted

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling during

the period 4 April 84 thru 11 April 84. Firing will be in the following areas on the dates and

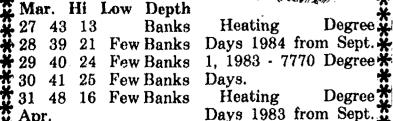
times indicated. The Small Arms ranges located west of Lake Margrethe. north of Howe Rd, east of the gas pipeline and south of Por-

tage Creek. Firing will begin at 8:00 AM 7 April 84 and cease at 5:00 PM 8 April 84. The Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Rd., east of Jones Lake Rd, south of County Rd 612 and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin at 8:00 AM 7

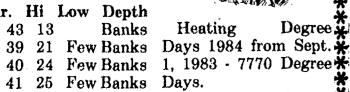
April 84 and cease at 5:00 PM 8 April 84. The Range 40 Complex located north of County Rd 612. east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd 618 and west of County Rd F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin at 9:00 AM (Daily) and cease at 5:00 PM (Daily).

The ranges will be closed to the public during these periods and all persons are warned to keep out of the areas identified.

Our Weather (Courtesy of Chuck Fick)



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Mercy Hospital Lays Off 30 Workers

Grayling Mercy Hospital laid off 30 employees last Friday for an indefinite period. Sister Mary Ellen Howard, administrator, said "We had hoped to avoid layoffs, but due to the continuing low census and unsuccessful attempts to cut expenses, we simply had no other choice."

Mercy Hospital's administration had tried to cut expenses by asking employees to voluntarily take time off or to use benefit time (vacation or personal days). In some cases, employees were sent home when the workload was down.

The administrator said these programs had been effective, but were only intended as temporary measures. "A more long-term solution must be implemented," she said.

Hospital revenue has dropped over the past few months due to a low number of patients. The hospital is averaging 57 percent occupancy for their 90-bed acute care facility. According to Sister Mary Ellen, there have been some daily highs recorded in the patient census, but the year-to-date

contagious.

been budgeted for.

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Robert Rettenmaier, vice president of fiscal services, said the hospital staffed and anticipated expenses for 62 percent occupancy in March and the actual rate was 57 percent, "Consequently, we ran at 5 percent below budget in March, or approximately \$100,000 below anticipated revenue."

"If this were an isolated

low period," explained Sister Mary Ellen, "we would not be concerned; however, we are nine months into our fiscal year and the year-to-date average occupancy rate is consistently running 5 to 6 percent below our budget predictions. This means we are approximately \$900,000 below budget in anticipated revenue for the nine month period."

As a further consequence, Mercy Hospital comes under the Prospective Payment System for reimbursement from the government for Medicare patients July 1 of this year. This will result in a decline in patient days for Medicare patients due to built-in incentives placed on hospitals and physicians to be more efficient in ad-

Other Hospitals

Feel \$\$ Crunch

By Jon Thompson

in northern Michigan. In fact, the problem seems to be highly

laid off 50 employees according to Ted Townsend, public

relations manager. He said the change in the federal Medi-

care system was the main reason for the lay-offs and no more

lay-offs — the exact number is not available yet. Otsego

Memorial hasn't had any lay-offs but administrator Robert

Kemp said the 12-hospital group they belong to is experien-

not as high as previous winters but not so low as to warrant

lay-offs. He cited a combination of factors for a drop in

patients across northern Michigan. Many people on unem-

ployment has simply run out of their Blue Cross benefits, he

said. These people and others having financial problems are

holding off on elective surgery. Kemp also said the number of

seniors in the north that went to Florida this winter seemed to

Bank President and

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Mercy Hospital's money problems are not a rare illness

January 1st Northern Michigan Hospitals in Petoskey

Kalkaska Memorial Health Center is also issuing some

Kemp said the number of patients at Otsego this winter is

average is below what had ministering health care.

The Prospective Payment System (PPS) or, payment by Diagnosis Related Groups (DRG) is a Federal government program aimed at reducing cost and increasing efficiency in the Medicare program. PPS is the blueprint for third-party reimbursement to hospitals in the future. In a very short time Medicaid and health insurance companies will be using a similar system to pay hospitals for medical expenses incurred by their

The advent of these sys-

customers.

tems will change the environment under which hospitals of the future will operate. There is increasing pressure from the government and the private sector to reduce medical costs throughout the nation.

Sister Mary Ellen said the focus is presently on hospitals, but it will soon spread to other health care providers. She added, "hospitals can no longer staff in anticipation of higherpatient periods. We must adjust our staffing to meet our current needs, and be more flexible in staffing in the future." She mentioned parttime help as one way of having more staffing flexibility.

"All this will have no effect on the quality of care patients receive at Mercy Hospital," the administrator said. She pointed out there are currently many programs underway to increase quality care such as physician recruiting and incentives for nurses to acquire advanced degrees. registered nurses have been laid off at the hospital, and we expect to continue supporting our LPN's who are working on RN degrees," she added. Mercy Hospital is sensi-

tive to the impact the layoffs will have on the employees and on the community. Sister Mary Ellen said she hoped the reductions would be temporary and that some of the employees would be called back. However, in the mean time, the hospital is working on offering employment services to laid-off employees to assist them in acquiring other jobs and dealing with the difficult times ahead, she



ALL ABOARD—Nearly 1,400 persons toured the Artrain Saturday and Sunday as it opened its stay in Grayling. Along with the regular Artrain exhibits, local artists including Bernie Dosch (shown at right) are featured in one car displaying their handicrafts and talent. (Photos by Jon Thompson)



County Approves Rental Program

The Crawford County Board of Commissioners approved using county Housing and Urban Development grant money for a rental rehabilitation program.

Randy Thompson, director of the county housing commission, said the program is designed to upgrade the condition of rental units used by low and middle-income families in the county. The project is also expected to increase the number of good rental units available by converting some existing structures that are no longer best used as a single family residence.

The program, using about \$55,000 of HUD money, will provide no-interest loans for half of the total cost of renovation work. The rental property owner must match the loan amount, which can range from a minimum of \$1,000 to \$5,000.

Thompson said the purpose of the project is to improve rental conditions here without increasing rent costs. The no-interest loans provide incentive to improve units but decrease the need to increase rent to cover

For more information, call Crawford County the Housing Commission at 348-2841.

In other county commission action at their regular meeting Thursday,

Lebanon two weeks ago.

"Though we may not feel

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in Lebanon, we do feel proud

and honored to have our son

See "Big J" on Page 6

Local Man on "Big J" Off Coast of Beirut



Donald Bancroft

E1 Mess Specialist Donald A. Bancroft, Jr., of Grayling, is one of 1500 men constantly on alert for attack aboard the USS New Jersev off the coast of Lebanon.

Bancroft left for Lebanon March 12 for assignment aboard the "Big J" - the world's largest battleship.

The big ship is currently crusing off the coast near Beirut always changing speed and direction to discourage an attack. At night the ship cruises without running lights. The crew is briefed daily for possible attack.

Bancroft's parents, Don and Carol Bancroft, said they are waiting for his first letter home since he left for

March 29, the board voted 6-0 to keep the Crawford County Prosecutor position parttime. Commissioner John Miller said the county can't afford \mathbf{a} full-time prosecutor.

"A full-time prosecutor would cost us at least \$60,000 and that still wouldn't guarantee us we'll get an experienced lawyer," Miller

"A \$60,000-a-year position would probably only attract young kids just out of law school," Miller said.

"What would be wrong with that?" Commissioner See Rental on Page 6



ORPHAN DOLLS - The Crawford County Historical Society is searching for the parents or owners of these dolls which will soon be on display at the historical museum. The dolls were given to the American Legion Post Christmas Toys for Tots program. If vou know the owners of these dolls please call Elmer Fenton. (Photo by Jon Thompson)



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James Cotant was appointed

to the case in March, 1983, to

investigate a forgery allega-

tion connected with a

\$190,000 Small Business Ad-

See Charges on Page 6

CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION—Crawford County Commissioner Chairperson Jeannette Kitchen and Department of Social Services Board member Don Geiss presented Maureen McNamara a certificate of appreciation for her work on the DSS board for nearly nine years.

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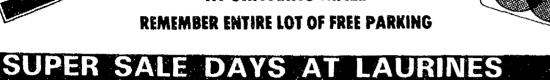
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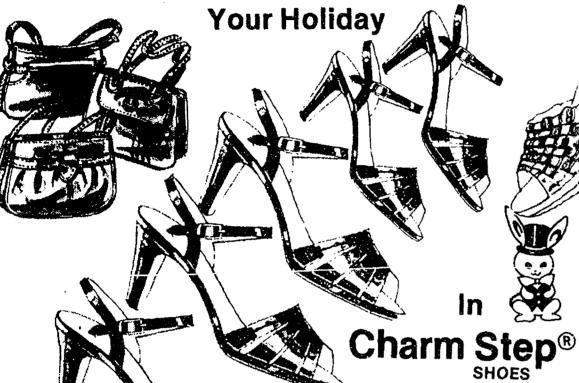
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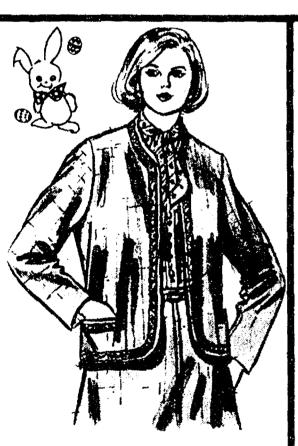
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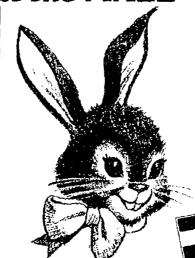
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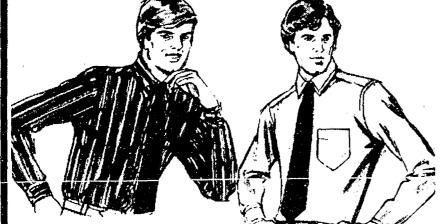
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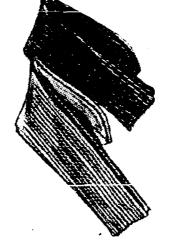
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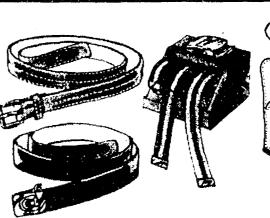
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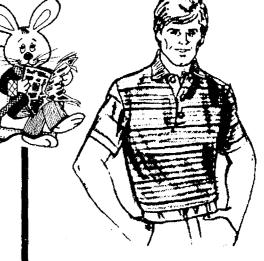
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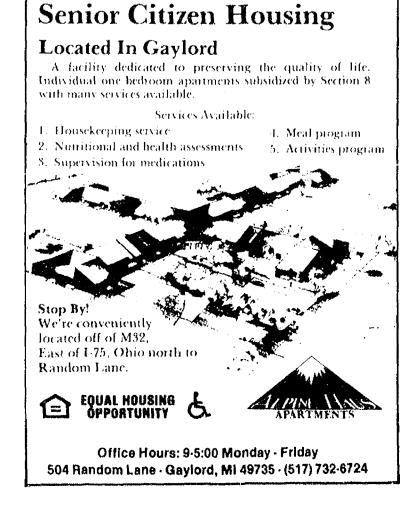


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On Friday, April 27th and Saturday, April 28th, a special "Tourism Management/Promotion Seminar" will be presented by Kirtland Community College in cosponsorship with the East Michigan Tourist Association, the Small Business Administration, and the

Michigan Travel Bureau. The objective of this short seminar is to provide up-todate information in management, marketing and hospitality concepts which are essential for the operation of a business. Topics will include: the purposes and principles of management and modern management philosophy; tourism. marketing and travel bureau promotion: hospitality operations and techniques; selling your product and publicity and sale promotion; and marketing concepts and mix. A certificate of completion will be awarded

completion of the seminar. The Tourism seminar will be held in the KCC Community Services Room from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. both days. Registration will be held the first day of class. Registration fees will be assessed at \$20 for in-district residents, and \$26 for out of district residents, plus a \$10 one time application fee for

to each participant upon

all new students. For further information, contact the Kirtland Admissions Office at 517/275-

Kirtland Receives Swiss Panorama

The Kirtland Community College Library has purchased a copy of Swiss Panorama, by Emil Schulthess, for its collection. This purchase was made possible by a gift from Mrs. Morley Warren of Higgins Lake in memory of the late Mary Hildegard Heath, a former summer resident of Higgins

Lake. Stuart E. Lawrence, Director of the Kirtland Community College Library. in announcing the acquisition, indicated that such gifts are used to purchase books of outstanding merit, normally beyond the means of

the college library. Swiss Panorama is a book of magnificent visual impact. Six double gatefold photos open to a width of four feet. A score of other photos are twenty-six inches wide, double page, and many three page spreads are also included. The clarity, color, composition, and lack of distortion are astounding. Villages, cities, and countryside are included, as well as spectacular Alpine shots. A unique panoramic camera suspended from a helicopter was employed by worldrenowned photographer Schulthess. It is called 360 degree aerial photography, but only a handful are a full 360 degrees; the others vary from 160 degrees up. Each panorama is introduced by a detailed map showing camera position and range, and a reduced photo labeled with physical features and landmarks for reference.

This book will be available for inspection at the Library during its regular hours - 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., Monday thru Thursday; 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Friday, and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday.

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U of M's Women's Glee Club At Kirtland April 8th

The Kirtland College Performing Artist Series presents the University of Michigan Women's Glee Club on Sunday, April 8th at 3 p.m. in the Kirtland Auditorium.

Sponsored by the School of Music, the Glee Club's membership is not composed of music students. Instead, it encompasses women with a wide variety of majors, who share a common enthusiasm for music and a desire to perform.

A U of M tradition, absent from the campus for several decades, the Women's Glee Club was reinstituted in 1976 to provide non-music majors an opportunity to sing. The group has grown steadily to its current 70 members, and is now a common sight around the University. The women also perform at other Michigan universities and alumni functions, with their performances enthusiastically received.

Under the direction of Rosalie Edwards (BM, MM), an Ann Arbor musician and teacher, the Women's Glee Club sings a combination of classics, spirituals, and contemporary popular songs, and

Kirtland Offers Management Seminars

Kirtland Community College regularly offers a series of management seminars to provide the owner/operator and business student with information essential for professional management in the operation of a small business.

The seminars cover topics such as the purpose of management, the manager as an organizer and planner, the manager and directing, keeping on the profit target, communication, financial management, motivational management.

The participant will develop managerial skills relative to planning, organizing, activating, and controlling business organizations.

Kirtland also offers similar seminars in other areas including tourism management. For further information,

land's Business Instructor, at 517/275-5121, ext. 278. Frederic

contact Jerre Lewis, Kirt-

Library Board

The Frederic Community Library Advisory Board met on March 22, with Eva Hul-

bert as hostess. We are planning a Bake Sale for April 28 at the Frederic Town Hall from 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. The proceeds will go towards the Building Fund.

The next meeting will be at the library on May 10 with Fran Lademan as hostess. Vi Middleton



THE HARMONETTES of the U of M Women's Glee Club - Top Row: (L to R) Aleca Tesseris, Karen Pizzo. Middle row: Susie Lee, Cris Battani, Alison Zuniga, Rachel Rosner. First row: Joia Mukherjee, Maggie Bahler.

always includes a specially written medley. The Club has even light-heartedly updated some traditional Michigan songs to reflect the new voice of women at the U of M. Mrs. Edwards' composition, "Women of Michigan" traditionally ends their concerts. In order to highlight some of its most talented members, the Club also features The Harmonettes, and

The Madrigal Choir. Tickets for the Sunday afternoon performance are \$4, and \$3 for students and senior citizens, and are

Applications for Scholarships

The Educational Committee of the Gravling Chapter of the American Business Women's Association is accepting applications for scholarships. Scholarships up to \$500.00 will be available for tuition and books for college or other postsecondary education.

Applicants must be women residents of Crawford County who are seeking either a business or professional

Application forms are available from Kathy Parkinson at 348-8880. Applications need to be turned in by Monday, April 30, 1984. Teen Challenge

Graduate

Kerry Flynn, formerly of Grayling, received a Certificate of Graduation from Western Michigan Teen Challenge in Muskegon. Over 300 persons attended the ceremonies which were held Thursday, March 22nd, in Grand Rapids. Four other students received Certifi-

Kerry completed a one year program and is currently on staff there. He plans on attending school in Alabama in the fall for more extensive training.



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available at (state location nearest you), at the KCC Bookstore, and at the door.

For further information. contact Dr. Robert Amsden. Kirtland's Theatre Coordinator, at 517-275-5121, ext.

Ticket outlets: Roscommon Hardware, St. Helen Pharmacy, Higgins Lake True Value Hardware, Dressmakers in Mio, Rose City Public Library, Flowers by Josie in Grayling, Village Sampler in West Branch, and at the Houghton Lake Chamber of Commerce.

Land Care Talk Set April 9

A slide show and question and answer session on tree planting, soil improvement, building ponds, and other land care topics will be held Monday, April 9, at the new country snop building at Hillside Farms along Sandy

Trail off M-72 East. Sherry Castle, from the Crawford-Roscommon Soil Conservation District, will be on hand to answer questions. The land care talk, free of charge, begins at 7:30 p.m. For more information call 348-9467.

Completes **Navy Training**

Navy Seaman Recruit Frank A. Krajenka, son of John A. and Judy A. Krajenka of 213 Loves Drive. Roscommon, has completed recruit training at the Naval

Training Center, San Diego. During the eight-week training cycle, trainees studied general military subjects designed to prepare them for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic

occupational fields. Included in their studies were seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid.

American Viewpoints

Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm. Ralph Waldo Emerson

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Women's Club To Meet

The Christian Women's Club of Houghton Lake and surrounding communities will hold their April luncheon at Tommy's Dry Dock. The restaurant is located on M-18 South, luncheon date is April 10, 1984, from 12:30-2:30 p.m.

The theme for this luncheon is "April Showers". "Splash into Spring", special feature, a fashion show by Ruth Jacobs, owner of The Clothes Tree. Special music "Rivulets of Melody" blending the voices of Mary Ann Tuck and Ruth Gruber. "Shower of Blessing", is our special speaker, Lee Nae Domsten from Gaylord, mother of four, area representative of Stonecroft, talking about "You Are Special".

Nursery care will be provided for the luncheon at the All Saints Episcopal Church, 1500 W. Houghton Lake Drive, Prudenville. Reservations for the children are necessary. For the luncheon and the nursery reservations, please call Louise Hammond at 422-5489 or Vendetta Hatfield at 366-7129, or Dolores Peckham at 821-9317. Reservations are necessary by April 6, 1984

and cancellations are essential. Late reservations are Remember — Call the Lumber Number — 348-2861 Grayling Window & Door Tora Complete Lumber, MILLWORK & HARDWARE CO. M-72 West -- Hours 8:00-5:00, Mon.-Fri. -- Saturday 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. **New Rain Master** VINYL **Gutter System**

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Tigercats Place 2nd in State

The Northland Tigercats

fell two points short of cap-

turing their first ever State

Special Olympics Basketball

title. The Tigercats "C"

team, composed of special

education students from

Grayling High School,

Houghton Lake Schools, and

the C.O.O.R. program fell in

the Division 8AA champion-

ship game to Wayne-West-

land by a score of 28 to 24.

The tournament was held at

East Grand Rapids High

In the semi-final round,

the Northland squad earned

a hard fought 27 to 26 over-

time victory over Bay Coun-

ty. Chris Whaley, a Grayling

High student, provided the

winning margin by sinking a

free throw in the extra

period. Whaley's classmate,

Geanine Ritter, led the

Their second place finish

earned the squad Silver

Medals and put their season

ending mark at 5 wins - 3

losses. The teams trip to the

state event was sponsored by

the Area 4 - Northland

Special Olympics Commit-

Lovells News

squad in rebounding.

School on March 30 and 31.

By Eva Hulbert Senior Citizens at the Center in Grayling, April 5, Thurs. 12:30 Blood Pressure, 5:30 Program Song Birds, Senior Citizen Choral Group. Will entertain with excellent musical talents. Anyone interested in singing, at the Center at 3 p.m. or call Betty Bohn 348-8544 for information.

Frederic News

Friday, April 6th, Frederic and Maple Forest Satellite Dinner at 1 p.m. On the Menu Tuna Loaf or Cabbage Rolls. Dick Allen with a program on Physical Aids. And a couple of games will be played at the Hobby Club.

Monday, April 9th, Discount Cards at 1:00, 1:30 "Osteoporosis'', speaker Cheryl Melroy, Mercy Hospital Dietician. 5:30 - Current Events. Wed., April 11 Bingo 12:30.

Birthday Dinner at 5:30. On the Menu, Roast Beef. Lora Gould and Hildegard Henning · April 7th Happy

Birthday. The community wishes to extend their sympathy to the family of Dixie Riggs, wife of

Mr. & Mrs. Pearlie White were to their daughter Dorothy Zill for dinner on their 45th anniversary, Mrs. White and Mrs. Raymond Brown have been busy tieing up

Many attended the lovely Memorial Service for Dixie Riggs held Saturday at the First Baptist Church.

quilts.

About thirty ladies attended the Hobby Club 30th Anniversary Party. Decorations were in Spring colors. Merna Newberry gave a reading on all the history and past events of the club. Memory of Anita Lozon and Isabell Weld. Merna also wrote a lovely poem she had written. Eunice Barker introduced the officers for this year. Also presented a gift to the two 30 year members Vi Middleton and Merna Newberry, Dena Huisman was a 15 year member and Eunice Barker 10 years. Bingo was played and Anita Verlinde went home with the most prizes. Fran Lademan won the door prize. A lovely table set with various foods and the anniversary cake was made by Cindy Peacock of San Sheri Welcome to the community Cindy. Barb Selesky and her ladies from the Manor, Agnes, Helen, Gladys and Irene presented a plaque to the club for all they did for Timberview, Manors and Commons. And also made a lovely gift for

guaranteed ministration loan issued through the Grayling State Bank September, 1980.

dants.

ment.

A news release from Grayling State Bank dated March 26 said Alef, who has worked at the bank for 33 years, "will plead not guilty to the charges and welcomes a chance to present the facts in a public court to establish his innocence."

"Big J"

By Ruth Cald

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Honey returned home this week after enjoying a vacation in Florida.

Mrs. Donna Muriel and son, Mark are visiting relatives in Detroit.

Cheerful Givers Club will meet at the club room Thursday evening at 7:30, please bring scissors.

Word was received of the illness of J.Q. Nicholas who is a patient at the hospital in Ft. Myers, Florida. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Margie Harwood and daughter Paula spent the weekend with Eddie Harwood and family in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wingerier hosted the card party Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Ruth Caid, Elsie Kearney, Sophie Koernke, Jack Koernke, Raymond McClanahan and John Campau. Next party will be on Saturday, April 14th hosted by Mr. and Mrs.

Ray Warner. There will not be a senior citizen day at the town hall this month as Good Friday is on the 3rd Friday.

IN MEMORIUM

In loving memory of Bernice H. Madsen who passed away a year ago April 2, of last year and is sadly missed by son, and wife and grandchildren.

FACTS OF LAW

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If you, as an airline passenger, are injured due to the wrongful conduct of an airline employee, the company is liable for your injury or damage. It is also bound to protect you from the misconduct of fellow passen-

Lawns must be green and neat in Peublo, Colorado. An old law there forbids growing dandelions within city

Acceptance is one element of a valid contract between or among parties. It involves an act of RECEIPT of money or a tangible item, or agreeing to the offer of the contract and thereby becoming bound.

Each state has a system of iuvenile courts operate separately from the adult criminal courts. Each one accepts only cases in which the defendant is below a maximum age, usually 18.

ACCIDENT does have a clearly defined legal meaning. It is generally an event that happens by chance or through someone's carelessness or ignorance.

A question of law? Bring to Alton T. Davis & William L. Carey, Attorneys and Counsellors at Law, 114 Michigan Ave., Grayling, Ph. 348-5232.



Charges

(Continued from Page 1)

Crawford County Prosecutor John Huss and Assistant Prosecutor David Sabin have disqualified themselves because they are acquainted with the defen-

The charges stem from a document attached to the SBA loan papers with a signature of the previous owner of the auto dealership okaying the transfer of a land contract. A State Police Detective says the signature of the previous owner, William Hart, was cut from another document and placed on the transfer agree-

At the recommendation of his attorney, Alef will take a voluntary leave of absence from the bank until the matter is resolved.

(Continued from Page 1)

be a member of the Navy and assigned to the best battleship, the USS New Jersey. We know he must feel the same," they said.

The New Jersey has 16inch guns that fire shells whwhich can rip holes 40 by 40 feet and 10 feet deep. Short of a nuclear bomb, the shells from the New Jersey's big guns deliver the most destructive explosive in the

Rental

(Continued from Page 1)

Don Welser asked, but he voted with the rest to keep the position half-time.

In other county news, the sheriff dept. had a road deputy re-instated with no back pay. JoEllen Bonnington won back her job through union binding arbitration after being dismissed April 2, 1983. The sheriff department now is back to their normal number of ten road officers for the first time since mid-January when a county hiring freeze prevented replacing a deputy who left.

Bitsby Fay

Mrs. Thelma Stampfly, and daughter Ann Buszard attended a Right to Life meeting at the Lansing Civic Center. The Legislature had lunch with the group, and we were represented by Ralph Ostling and Connie Binsfeld. There were over 400 in attendance.

Pasta

A pound of pasta will serve four if it is a first course; six if it accompanies meat; and three if it is the entire meal.

Legal Notice STATE OF MICHIGAN In The Probate Court For The County of Crawford

File No. 3999 Estate of LILLIAN M. HANSON aka LILLIAN S. HANSON aka LILLIAN HANSON, deceased.

CLAIMS NOTICE

SUPERVISED PROBATE TAKE NOTICE that creditors of Lillian M. Hanson aka Lillian S. Hanson aka Lillian Hanson, deceased, whose social security number is 375. 46-2313, who died July 2, 1982, and whose home address was 607 Peninsular Street, Grayling, Michigan 49738 are notified that all claims against this estate must be presented to both of the Co-Personal Representatives of this estate, namely, Dale M. Nielson, P.O. Box 221, Grayling, Michigan 49738, and Second National Bank of Saginaw, 101 N. Washington Avenue, Saginaw, Michigan 48607, and proof thereof filed with the court on or before June 18. 1984, or said claims are barred

Dated: April 2, 1984 Co-Personal Representatives Dale M. Nielson P.O. Box 221 Grayling, Michigan 49738 Tele: 517/348-2261 William R. Berton, Trust Officer Second National Bank of Saginaw 101 N. Washington Avenue Saginaw, Michigan 48607 Tele: 517/776-7369

against this estate, the Co-

Personal Representatives or

the devisees of the estate.

James V. Rutledge P19787 P.O. Box 485 407 Lake Avenue Roscommon, Michigan 48653 Tele: 517/275-4023 Attorney for the Estate

Petitions Available for Bd. of Ed.

Nominating petitions for the single Board of Education position on the Crawford AuSable School District are available at 403 Michigan Avenue, Grayling.

Petitions must be returned by 4:00 p.m. April 9th to the same address.

COMMISSION ORDER No. CR-103.82

(Under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)

Gear Restrictions For Stream Fishing **During Salmon and Steelhead Runs**

The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 11, 1980, meeting, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925. as amended, approved the following gear restriction for a period of five years beginning October 1, 1980:

Double or treble pointed hooks exceeding 3/8 inch between point and shank and single pointed hooks exceeding 1/2 inch between point and shank may not be used on any stream except St. Mary's, St. Clair, and Detroit rivers before May 15 or after August 31 of each year.

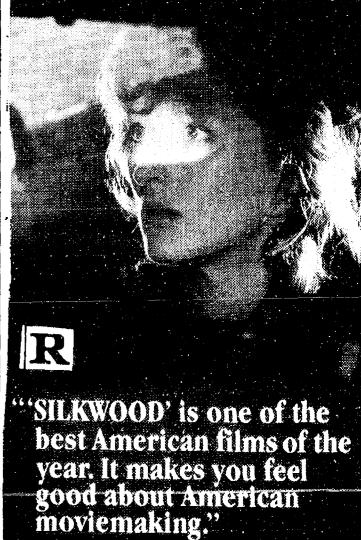




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- Jack Kroll, NEWSWEEK

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Toxic Site Cleanup Given \$9.5 Million Allocation

Warren M. Hoyt, Executive Director, MPA

In recommendations recently sent to the Legislature, Governor James Blanchard is targeting \$9.5 million to take care of immediate health problems at 108 toxic waste sites and another \$10.7 million for longterm evaluation of problems at 27 sites.

The cleanup recommendations, which include \$750,000 as a contingency for immediate action at newlydiscovered sites, cover about half the sites given preliminary environmental/health risk rankings last fall.

The program, operated separately from the U.S. Superfund activities to clean up hazardous sites, was authorized by the 1982 Environmental Response Act.

The total number of sites covered by the \$21 million to be spent during this and next fiscal years is 117, with some in line both for immediate action long-term evaluation.

The immediate action to address health hazards includes providing alternative water supplies at 79 sites, fencing or otherwise limiting access to 21 sites and removing some exposed hazardous materials at 13 sites.

The 108 sites slated for immediate action include every one which state officials determined posed health risks.

Battle Creek's Verona area, involving chemical contamination to municipal and residential wells for 40,000 persons, tops the list for action, with the governor's recommendations calling for \$154,000 for immediate activities such as providing alternative water and \$269,000 for environmental studies.

The Steven's landfill in Monroe County, which was the highestranked site in the preliminary list released last fall, is the second-ranked site now, but still with one of the highest recommended spending levels of any site - \$1.4 million.

Immediate actions would include \$385,000 for fencing and surface

removal of wastes and \$995,000 for geologic investigations evaluation of site characteristics, environmental studies and a feasibility study.

The largest amount recommended for any one site is the \$2.8 million for residential wells at Niles contaminated with TCE and other organics.

The bulk of the funds, \$1.7 million, would go for alternative water supplies with the rest for further studies on how to deal with the contamination.

The ranking of state sites targeted for clean-up, places emphasis on the current condition of the waste sites. risks to human health, an assessment of all environmental contamination rather than just hazardous waste as under the Superfund, and its assessment of danger of direct contact or risk of explosion and fire.

Thus the highest ranked state site receiving Superfund money, Berlin and Farro's chemical dump in Genesee County, is 16th on the state list for action, with \$600,000 recommended for removing soils contaminated with C-56.

Low Level Radioactive **Waste Commission Formed**

The Midwest Low Level Radioactive Waste Commission was formally constituted. The commission. which includes Michigan, is a first step towards a formed interstate compact that will help develop a regional plan for safe and efficient management of low-level radioactive waste generated in the area.

The commission became formally constituted when Missouri became the fifth state to join.

Other current members are Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota. There are 11 other states eligible to join the commission which have until July 1 to take advantage of automatic eligibility into the organization.

The commission cannot become an interstate compact until approval is granted by Congress. Michigan's authority to joining the commission stems from a 1982 law.



CLARK'S PHARMACY OPENS — Clark's Pharmacy inside Glen's Market opened last Thursday offering a full line of pharmaceutical goods and a complete prescription service. Mrs. Eria Clark receives the first prescription from her son, Jim Clark, while his wife Shirley watches.

ing of this week, November

10. Miss Lousie Trevegno

will teach the 3rd and 4th

grades and Miss Clella Clark

The school has a capacity

of about 100 pupils and at

present there are about 90

enrolled and several more

pupils are expected to enter

I started attending this

school in the fall of 1914. As I

recall each teacher had

about 50 pupils in her room.

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difference in the pupil-

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A Bit of History

Looking over some of my historical papers I came across the following.

Petition for a South Side School, Sept. 11, 1911. Gentlemen: Realizing as all must, who have given the matter attention, that the kindergarten department and lower grades of our public schools are overcrowded in the present condition and realizing yet more carefully that it is practically impossible for the children in those grades to attend the school regularly during the winter months on account of the distance from the school, and often impassible streets.

We, the undersigned citizens and taxpayers of the district respectfully petition your Honorable Board to give the above statement full consideration and so arrange that a ward school may be held on the south side of the river for such pupils of the lower grades, who otherwise will largely be deprived

It is understood that a small church in this part of the village may be rented. so that no great outlay of money would be required, simply the expense of rent, teachers salary and fuel.

of school privileges for the

No school for the South Side October 19, 1911

Small attendance at the Special School Meeting last Friday evening. A special school meeting was held last Friday evening in the high school room for the purpose of bringing before the people a petition submitted by the taxpayers from the south side of the river. The petitioners asked that a school be established in that locality for the school year of 1911-12. Cost of renting the church estimated from \$120.00 and up. Janitor and teacher had to be hired bringing cost to about \$800.00 Project might greatly retard the erection of a permanent school building for the south side.

25 people present mostly from the south side. Ballots counted. Two in favor and 23 opposed.

New School for South Side Opened Monday.

November 13, 1913

The long hoped for school building for the patrons and pupils, living on the south side of the river, is finished and its doors were opened to the pupils on Monday morn-

Dispositions From Circuit Court

The following appeared before the Honorable William A. Porter.

Jeff Ashton of Grayling, was sentenced on a charge of Aggravated Assault. He received 6 months in the County Jail with 5 days credit for time served. He must also pay costs of \$400.00 and fines of \$50.00.

Roko Bajaj of Pontiac, was sentenced on a charge of Larceny with safe damage. He received 5 to 15 years in the Michigan Department of Corrections.

Randy Brookshire of Flint, was sentenced on a charge of Non-Sufficient Funds Check over \$50.00. He received 10 months in the County Jail with credit for 119 days ser-

Michael David McKay of Beaverton, was sentenced on a charge of Assault with Intent Less Than Murder. He received 6 years 8 months to 10 years in the Dept. of Corrections with credit for 235 days served.

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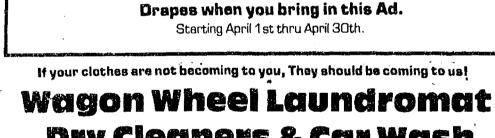
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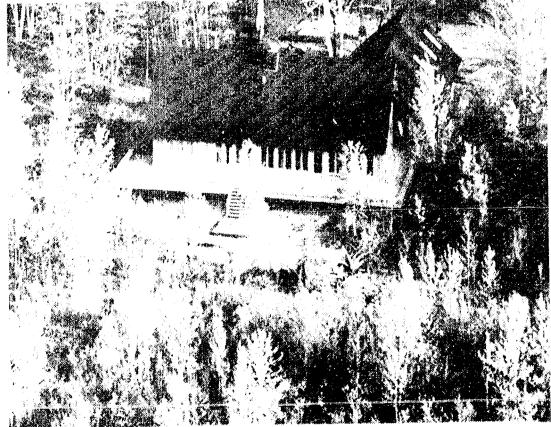
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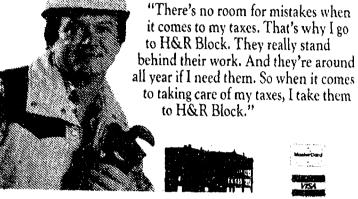
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Not very long ago, I was given a book on the history of the C.C.C. in Michigan from 1933 to 1942. As histories go, it was well written. While it contained a little information about the Camp at Hartwick Pines, it was certainly an enlightening discourse on the 3 C's. Mr. Charles A. Symon wrote the book which was published in 1983 by Richards Printing in Escanaba, Michigan.

For eighteen years I have worked in the shadow of C.C.C. accomplishments. I may stand corrected but according to the information we have, Camp Hartwick Pines SP-8 was one of the longest-lived camps in the State, being open from 1934 until 1942. The first crews were young men (mostly in their late teens to early twenties) and later veterans of the First World War.

In its first two and one-half years, the crews constructed one foot bridge over the East Branch of the AuSable River, one vehicle bridge, one dwelling, nine equipment and storage houses, two museums, two miscellaneous camp buildings, 135 rods of fence, 2.8 miles of telephone lines, one well, ten seats, 209 signs and markers, one mile of truck road, and one and one-half miles of foot trails. In addition, they planted trees on 872 acres and devoted 57 man-days to fighting forest fires. By the way, this is only a small portion of the work, some of which is still much in evidence today.



"JUMP ROPE FOR HEART" participants raised \$1560.00 for the Michigan Heart Association. Staff and students joined together in teams of six to participate in the 180 minute jump rope marathon. 102 participants helped to raise funds for the Michigan Heart Association and to earn a 16 millimeter film on the heart and a film strip for the Grayling Middle School. Student and staff participants earned official "Jump Rope for Heart" jump ropes, T-shirts, gym bags, and sweatshirts. This is the third year of the fundraising physical fitness activity headed by Mrs. Ann Doty.

fied lesions were either in

situ or did not involve the

regional lymph nodes. How-

ever, the important finding

from this project was that

the greater percentage of

cancers were detected by the

This is not to say physical

examinations are no longer

used. As earlier stated, the

two are complimentary;

however, detection of the

primary tumor when it is

small or non-palapable is

critical and a properly per-

formed examination with a

dedicated mamography unit

results in the early detection

Approximately one in

every ten women will

develop breast cancer. Once

following for women under

50 because of research

relating to the benefits and

importance of early detec-

tion. "They represent the

most pruden advice based

upon best currently availa-

1. All women should be

taught proper breast self-

examination by the age of 20

and should have annual

physical examination of the

2. The first, or baseline,

mamograms should be ob-

tained by age 40. An earlier

age is preferable when there

is a personal history of

breast cancer or a history of pre-menopausal breast can-

cer in the patient's mother

3. Subsequent mamo-

graphic examinations should

be performed at one to two

year intervals determined

by the combined analysis of

physical and mamographic

findings and other risk fac-

tors, unless medically in-

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day...the opening of trout season...the annual Secre-

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scheduled for Tuesday, April 10, 1984, with luncheon served at 12 o'clock - Noon. The

doors will be open at 11:30 a.m.; if you care to have a

drink before lunch, plan to come early. We will conclude no later than 1:30 p.m.

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"Breast Cancer"



By Tom Dana, R.T.

Early detection of breast cancer is critical in the successful treatment of the disease. Many tumors are too small to be detected by the human hand during physical examinations and many tumors are missed by conventional x-ray equip-

According to a recent policy statement released by the American College of Radiology, "Mamography and physical examinations are clearly complimentary procedures and the end results are materially improved when the two diagnostic procedures are optimally combined." The statement further identifies the dedicated mamography unit as the most reliable

method for breast x-rays. Locally, Grayling Mercy Hospital has a dedicated mamography unit and performs several exams per year. The advantage of the dedicated unit is a better detailed x-ray of the tissue with less radiation than with

conventional equipment. In the late 1970's, a breast detection demonstration project indicated approximately one-third of the

VISITING

Calendars breast cancers occurred in women between 35 and 50. The majority of the unidenti-

Important Womans Softball meeting Thurs., April 26, 1984 at 7:30 p.m. at Chief Shoppenagons.

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> Tuesday, April 10: Roscommon County from 1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Roscommon County Courthouse, 506 Lake Street, Roscom-

these sessions, but would like to communicate with Senator Binsfeld, she can be contacted at the State Capitol, Lansing, Michigan 48909 (517) 373-2413.

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The Crawford AuSable School District Report

By Kent Reynolds **Crawford Ausable Superintendent**

This is the first in what is planned as a weekly column designed to provide information regarding Crawford AuSable School District programs, curriculum, activities. and policies. It is intended that the column will address areas of interest and concern to district residents. Suggestions for topics will be welcomed at the school central offices at 403 Michigan Avenue or over the telephone at 348-7641.

The 1983-84 school year has been active for staff, students, and parents. Our district gifted and talented program has been implemented in all buildings and is currently under review as we plan for next year. Our new elementary school science curriculum has been implemented and there is a great deal of enthusiasm among teachers and students for the program. Our first annual district-wide science fair will be held May 18-19.

The new middle school language arts program has been fully implemented and is having a significant impact upon the education of those students. A middle school computer education program is planned for implementation next fall with the computers purchased with a grant from Weyerhaeuser. The high school has begun a full review of curriculum and graduation requirements to be completed by November 1984. The district curriculum steering committee has been organized and is meeting monthly. A significantly improved teacher evaluation policy and procedure has been implemented.

There certainly will not be a shortage of topics for this column. The column next week will deal with discipline in our schools and the following week's topic will be building maintenance. The weekly columns will be written by school administrators, staff, and other persons connected with Crawford AuSable schools.

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Whitey Madsen

From Our Corner...



I hope our readers find us back here on page 9, we had to move out of our regular spot in your favorite newspaper to make room for Laurine's double truck this week...like we have mentioned before, the ol' fella will move to any page, any time to accommodate a full page ad...Laurine's \$50 gift certificate drawing coupon can be found on page 8 in this week's issue, the 2 ads didn't have room for the coupons that continue until Easter...

We are behind the eight ball this week...we hadn't been to Traverse since New Year's weekend so decided to take the weekend off and spend it with John, Toni, T.J. and Stefany and in so doing here we are Monday morning trying to get this turkey filled up with a hundred other things on our mind that we should be doing in getting this week's issue to press by Wednesday morning...like we mentioned last week, it is a lot easier if we can have about half of our corner finished on Sunday afternoon...this week we would settle if we had just a portion done...Rena grumbled last week because she said we were too windy, this week should make amends the way it is shaping up right now...

The Grayling Youth Booster Club's annual Swiss Steak dinner is scheduled for this Saturday night at Patty's Country House from 4:30 till 8:30... by attending you help the Booster Club help the several youth programs in the county that they have been contributing to...

We received a short note from Spike MacNeven who spends his winter time in Mesa, Arizona...we were going to run it as a Letter to the Editor but. seeing as how he mentions our turkey we're going to let him help fill this bird for this week...

Thursday the 29th. of March

Dear Whitey, From the turkey of Thursday, March 22nd.

I am sorry that you were not on vacation in Nevada, but the rest of us 36,328 people in the valley of the sun from Michigan have had a wonderful winter. As of today I have had the air cond. on for three weeks, and counting the days I can fly back to Michigan.

Like the retired rail man has always told me. Spike there are some things we don't talk about.

I am sure glad Thelma is back, and going strong also that you are back to playing weight. No orange pop. Out here we have our happy hour flags flying at four p.m. from there we all go out to eat. (No place like home), but not like Grayling.

Now like you say. Today at two thirty temp. 88°, and they say 95° for Friday. (Nice)

I was sure glad for winter sports this year. When you think that only four couples started that thing out in 1924 at Collens Hill, the first in Michi-

Well Whitey I am glad to be here in Arizona with this nice weather, but you have Mr. America with you. (McIsaac). You are better off.

The Best, Spike

If our weather is any indication of what is to come, it appears we are through with winter...these storms they are having in the east and southeastern states they can have ... we'll take our winter time blizzards and sub-zero weather, the other parts of the United States can have their tornadoes...which we should mention here, Michigan is also prone for tornadoes and we are coming into that time of year, so take heed and be on the look out for them...

If you have gambling in your blood, this Saturday night when you finish the swiss steak dinner you can travel out to Hanson Hills Park and take in Las Vegas Night sponsored by the Grayling Recreational Authority, Proceeds go to park operation...

This takes care of this week's turkey, so we will bid T.J., Stefany and Amber goodnight...and to all of our readers have a nice weekend, spring is upon

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Interesting Events In **Grayling 23 Years Ago**

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago

April 6, 1961 Teresa Diane was two vears old March 25th, and her sister Juliane Marie was 5 years old March 26th. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilcox Jr., and their birthdays were celebrated March 25th. Their four brothers, and Ronnie from cousin Alpena, their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lazarowicz, Stanley their aunts, Mrs. Clara and Wilcox Dorothy Wilcox, and Mrs. John Scott and children, were guests at the party. Ice cream, two birthday cakes, cookies, coffee and Kool-aid were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joseph entertained the lobster dinner group at their home Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ward Ellison were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Billsby and son Doug, Mr. and Mrs. Whitey Madsen and family were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mauren and family.

The Dr. B.E. Henigs and the Lewis Stillwagons enjoyed skiing at Boyne Mt., Friday before last and had dinner at Chimney Inn near Petoskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Peterson were in Gay-Sunday, March 26th for the golden wedding anniversary celebration of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, at which all of their twenty-nine children, grandchildren & great grandchildren were present for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gardiner and children Michael, Mary Claire, Kevin, James and Tom arrived Saturday, March 25th, from Wyandotte to be the new caretakers for the Wa-Wa-Sum Club on the AuSable River.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hartman spent the visiting weekend

relatives at Cedar Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Caid and family of Houghton Lake spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. Ruth Caid.

Mr. and Mrs. James Small and daughters were up for the weekend. While here they visited William her father, Granger & his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Small.

46 Years Ago April 7, 1938

Mrs. Carl Nelson and Mrs. Floyd McClain are in Petoskey today.

Mrs. Carl Madsen and son Howard of Gaylord spent Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peter

Peterson. Mrs. Roy Milnes, Mrs. Frank Bond and Mrs. Emil Giegling spent Wednesday in Saginaw.

Earl Gierke came home from Saginaw for the weekend and Saturday accompanied his mother, Mrs. Adam Gierke and sister. Mrs. Jerry Larke, to Bay City, where they spent the day.

Fourteen little friends helped "Skippy" Hanson celebrate his 5th birthday at his home Tues-After several games were enjoyed, Mrs. Hanson served a lovely lunch with a birthday cake trimmed with candy bunnies and five candles decorating the table. "Skippy" received many lovely gifts. A little favor was given to each of the

guests as they left. Don Reynolds of the Better Housekeeping Shoppe, yesterday sold his interest to Mrs.

Euthanasia

Edgar Douglas, who with her husband will conduct the business. Don is leaving tomorrow for Mt. Pleasant where he is entering into partnership in a similar type of store. He is an excellent salesman and no doubt will do well in this larger field. Ted Burr will continue in the employ of the Better Housekeeping Shoppe as service man. He is an expert mechanic as well as radio expert.

Mrs. Bert Waite, of Tekonsha, Mich., who has been visiting her brother and sister. Clarence VanAmberg and Mrs. Carl Larson, returned to her home Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Bensinger and little daughter of Lansing arrived the last of the week to be here for some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gothro.

> 69 Years Ago April 8, 1915

Henry Mapes driving a Ford car which he purchased last week.

Miss Isabella Karpus. who is working in Flint, visited her home here over Sunday last.

J.J. Gothro of Belleville, Mich., arrived here Tuesday to accept a position as barber in the Carl Sorenson shop. Mr. Gothro expects to move his family here as soon as he can obtain a suitable residence. Mr. Sorenson is now full owner of this shop, he having purchased the interests of his partner S. Kastenholtz. The latter is working in the Walter Cowell Shop.

Henry Joseph spent a few days last week visiting his brother, Louie, who is attending the U. of M. at Ann Arbor. On his return home he visited at Battle Creek and Detroit.

Mrs. Olaf Michelson returned from Detroit last Thursday after a several days' visit.

A team belonging to Jens Eilerson became frightened Wednesday and ran away. Little damage was done other than breaking the wagon tongue and scattering cedar posts along the principal streets of the village.

School Meals

April 5th thru 13th

Breakfast Thurs. - Choice of: Cheerios, Special K, Puffed Rice, Orange Juice. Fri. - Pancakes, Orange

Juice. Mon. - Choice of: Crisp Rice, Raisin Bran, Corn Flakes,

Orange Juice.

Tues. - Cinnamon Rolls, Fruit, Hot Chocolate. Wed. - Cooked Cereal, Orange Juice.

Thurs. - Choice of: Sugar Pops, Cheerios, Corn Flakes, Orange Juice. Fri. - French Toast, Orange Juice.

Lunch Thurs. - Pizza, Buttered Vegetable, Chilled Fruit. Fri. - Chicken Patties, Whipped Potatoes, Jello/Fruit, Bread & Butter.

Mon. - Hamburgers, Relishes, Buttered Vegetable, Chilled Fruit. Tues. - Tacos, Buttered

Vegetable, Chilled Fruit. Wed. - Goulash, Buttered Jello/Fruit, Vegetable, Hot Rolls.

Thurs. - Pizza Burgers, Buttered Vegetable, Chilled Fruit. Fri. - Choice of: Fishwiches,

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York's highest court has ruled that the New York State Legislature must decide which human beings are actually persons who are entitled to live? Humanism has brought us to the point we can no longer be assured law will protect and honor innocent life. As the Social Security program and our medical programs become more and more bogged down, the day may not be far off when voluntary euthana-

In California, the Supreme Court ruled that a child could sue for being born. The courts required a Sacremento Hospital to pay \$900,000 in damages for not informing the parents of possible brain damage so they could have

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encouraged among the aged.

aborted the baby. Can you imagine a hospital being forced to pay parents nearly a million dollars for saving

their baby's life, because

they would have killed it? Did you know that the Attorney General of Delaware issued an opinion that a doctor who had failed to kill 2 babies by salt poisoning in an abortion attempt, could be sued for criminal malpractice? This is certainly the irony of Humanistic values.

The only lives precious to most Humanists are their own lives, the lives of violent criminals, Communists of all kinds, and perverts in general. That is why they oppose Capital Punishment, warfare which injures or Communists revolutionaries, and any violation of the lifestyle of moral perverts. Only God and the Bible can

save us from the Humanists. "...Jesus said, Thou shalt do no murder..." Matt 19:18. (adv.) **Pastor Barnett**

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They will reside in Lake Forest, Alabama.

The Barkley's are former residents of Grayling, residing here from 1965 to 1978, Melody is a 1978 graduate of Grayling High School.

Frederic **Hobby Club**

The ladies of the Frederic Hobby Club will be having a bake sale on Saturday, April 7th from 10:30 a.m. till 3:00 p.m. at the old Sportsmans Hall in Frederic.

The Hobby Club ladies appreciated all the ladies that came to our 30th anniversary party. We all had a nice time, playing games, and Merna Newberry, gave a talk on what the Hobby Club has done in the thirty years. Vi Middleton, and Merna Newberry have been in the

club for all the thirty years. Dena Huisman was in for 15 vears and Eunice Baker for ten years. The food was just great, and we also appreciated Cindy Peacock for baking our cake for the par-

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Given in marriage by her father, Miss Spencer wore her mother's wedding gown of ivory satin. A satin cap held her veil of net and lace, she carried a cascade of silk Camellias and white Carnations.

Music was furnished by the brides brother, George R. Spencer, who sang "If" and "O Perfect Love".

JoAnn Kesteloot of Grayling was maid of honor and Alice Maxwell was bridesmaid, also of Grayling. They wore blue lace trimmed gowns of silk, flowered head pieces, and carried silk flower bouquets of blue Rosebuds and white Carna-

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District Court

The following persons appeared in 83rd District Court before judges Joel I. Mills and Richard Benedict:

Brian Behnke, 27, of Higgins Lake, was bound over to Circuit Court on a charge of assault with intent to rob while armed and two charges of obstruction of justice. Bond was set at \$75,000.

Ricky Runyon, 28, of Warren, was bound over to Circuit Court on a charge of assault with intent to rob while armed and two counts of obstructing justice. Bond was set at \$50,000.

Dennis Runyon, 30, of Warren, was bound over to Circuit Court on two counts of obstructing justice. Bond was set at \$1000.

Jeffrey Smith, 25, of Flushing, demanded preliminary examination on a charge of possession of cocaine. Bond was set at \$1,500.

Michael LaBean, 31, of Roscommon, demanded preliminary examination to a charge of larceny of more than \$100. Bond was set at Crawford Co. Bd. of Commissioners NOTICE

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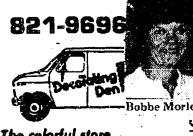
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At 101 pounds, Mark Lowe has two firsts and Jamie Montoya has a second. At 108 pounds, Gary Nemeth has a second and a fourth. At 115 pounds, Flaskie Robbins has two firsts and David Stephan has a fourth. At 122 pounds, Brian Kernstock has two firsts and second, Gary Morse has a second and a third, and Gary Woodbury has a first, third, and a fourth. At 129 pounds, Ward Jones has three firsts and Joe Francis has two seconds.

At 136 pounds, Rick Sprague has one first and Ron Wenglikowski has two seconds. At 145 pounds, Paul Anteau has a first and a third. At 155 pounds, Billy Thayer has a first and second. At 165 pounds, Tom and third.

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Program Series

Mon., April 9, 1:30 p.m.-Today Cheryl Melroy, Mercy Hospital dietician, will talk to us on the importance of taking a calcium supplement as a preventive measure. Osteo-porosis is the slowing down of the normal process of bone-cell replacement and calcium is critical in our later years to off-set this condition.

Since the Senior Citizen's health needs can be quite different from their younger counterparts, we strongly urge those over fifty-five to attend our monthly series programs on good nutrition. Watch the bulletins and news releases for the dates when these are scheduled.

Cheryl will meet with us in the main dining room at the Center at 308 Lawndale St. Further information regarding this series of educational and informative presentations for your benefit is available by calling 348-9314. Thurs., April 12, 5:30 p.m.

"Ophthalmology", Kennedy Surgical Consultant to Dr. Lawrence Castleman, Ophthalmologist, of the Michigan Cataract Institute in Southgate. Ms. Kennedy is a professional speaker with a slide presentation explaining glaucoma, cataracts, diabetes and senile macular degeneration. Special filtering sunglasses and other materials will be given to each member of the audience free of charge. Come and learn

Come for dinner at 5:00 p.m. and stay for the program. Please call 348-9314 for dinner reservations. There is no charge for either of these programs, held at the Senior Citizens Center,

Bar Owners Sponsor Seminars To Reduce Drunk Driving

1984.

sees and their personnel as

possible. The MLBA's goal is

to train 15,000 employees in

TAM is funded by the

throughout the state.

their

10:00 a.m.

employees

Seminars are also being

held on April 9 at DeCarlo's

Birch Pointe Country Club at

7071 Artesia in St. Helen, and

on April 11 at the Hidden

Valley Resort on M-32 East

in Gaylord. All seminars

Troop 997 News

Todd Pfaff

On Monday evening, Troop

997 toured the visiting Ar-

train. This was for many of

the Scouts, their first ex-

perience at seeing fine art by

During the March 19 Boy

Scout meeting, Troop 997

held elections to fill two

leadership positions in the

troop. Congratulations to

Carl Ohsowski, who is our

newly elected Senior Patrol

Leader, and to Chris Thomp-

son, who was re-elected to

Patrol Leader of Viking

Patrol. Due to a tie in votes,

the other patrol, which is yet

unnamed, this position is yet

Again, I would like to in-

vite any boys, 11 years and

older, who are interested in

Scouting to come in and see

us. Troop 997 meets every

Monday evening at 7:00 p.m.

The troop meeting hall is

located at the rear of

Goodale's Bakery on Ottawa

Street inside the door at the

bottom of the staircase. If

you cannot attend these

meetings and would like

more information on Scout-

Newspaper News

The Troop 997 Newspaper

Drive semi trailer is still in

the same spot, in the Craw-

ford County Road Commis-

sion compound on M-72 East

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begin at 10:00 a.m.

The first Techniques of Alcohol Management (TAM) seminar in the Grayling area will be held April 10 at the Holiday Inn at 2650 I-75 Business Loop in Grayling, to teach local bar employees how to prevent drunk driving and problems associated

with abusive drinking. Sponsored by the Michigan Licensed Beverage Association (MLBA), the program is the first of its kind in the nation. Participants attend an eight hour seminar in which they are trained to recognize the signs of intoxication and are taught their moral and legal responsibility regarding service of alcoholic beverages.

"Our goal is to promote responsible drinking behavior," said Rod Brown, executive director of the MLBA. "TAM is a positive, preventive approach to the tragic problem of drunk driving."

TAM seminars are being held around the state to educate as many liquor licen-

Senior Citizen Homemaker Services

We are receiving the loveliest letters from our clients commending our homemakers on their services, friendliness & personalities. We are all so pleased and proud that the Homemaker Services Program is so expressed and appreciated. We would like to thank all of you thoughtful people for your donations and beautiful letters. They are all very gratefully received and appre-

ciated. Homemakers Services are available to Crawford County residents 60 years of age or older who are handicapped. Handicapped is defined as the inability to perform daily household tasks. There are no income requirements for this service. However we do accept donations if you are able to pay. The donations allow us to do services for more people.

Goals of Homemaker Services are to provide an alternative to institutional care (Nursing Home or Foster Care) to allow for shorter hospital stays or to remain at home in the event of illness or accident; to reduce isolation; to encourage family care whenever possible; and to provide a link with other community services, to better enable the client to maintain independence.

The services consist of light housekeeping, dusting, vacuuming, meal preparation, washing dishes, light laundry, occasional reading to clients who can't see, and transportation and escort services if needed. Of course if you are able to ride Dial-A-Ride please do so as it is

much less expensive. We now have a new homemaker (Linda Northrup), therefore we now have a few appointment dates open. If you need any of our services or know of anyone that needs any of our services, please call the Senior Citizen Center at 348-9314 or come in and see us at 308 Lawndale.

> Joyce Hankins Homemaker Services Coordinator

Grayling Elementary **School News**

The First Grade **Plant Adventure**

Mrs. Larson's first grade class has been working on plants. They learned that a seed has roots and a stem inside of it. The roots grow down because of gravity and the stem grows up because it is reaching for the sun. Also inside of a seed is food to help the stem grow. By Heather Garnett & Shannon Hinds, 5th grade.

Mr. Hatfield's class is learning about money. First, Mr. Hatfield showed his class how to figure out money problems. Then his class worked in money labs. Mr. Hatfield had his class cut out play money so they could work out the problems easier. By Karen Febey, 4th grade.

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Vanguard Club



James G. Ritter of Grayling, has qualified for Mutual Trust Life Insurance Company's prestigious Wanguard Club. Mr. Ritter attended the organization's conference March 25-28 in La Costa,

Mr. Ritter is a representative with the Matrix Group, which is located at 808 S. Garfield, Traverse City. This is the first time Mr. Ritter has qualified for this

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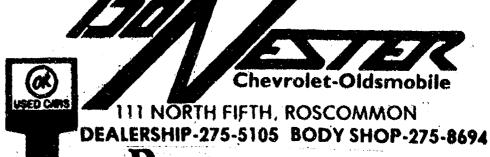
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Editor's Mailbox

March 27, 1984

To The Editor Crawford Co. Avalanche Grayling, Mi. 49738

Dear Whitey, An article written in the Detroit News on 3-24-84 made reference to Detroit Suburban police departments complaining that there is intervention by the Wayne County Sheriffs Patrol into their respective jurisdictional areas; this causing an overlap

authority. The reason for the problem seems to be that the State has given the Wayne County Sheriffs Patrol a sizeable grant and the department can now release many men for street duty due to the newfound

revenues. Meanwhile in Crawford County, each year we host thousands of outstate and downstate national and state guards making our own sheriffs department responsibilities nearly intolerable.

So — where is our State grant? Or do Crawford County Taxpayers keep footing the bill?

Let's write to our Governor and Congressmen.

Sincerely, Walt Leibold Box 3453 Rt. 3 Grayling, Mi (Lovells)

The Avalanche — Your Want Ad Paper

Volunteers On The Go!



Myrtle Graham, one of our school volunteers works every Tuesday, all day at the Grayling High library.

Myrtle keeps very busy with book binding and repair. She also cuts articles out for the students reference and research files.

To her credits as a volunteer she has 15 years as Chairperson of the Michigan Cancer Foundation; helped with Girl Scouts, been previously associated with Autobon Clubs. She has been with RSVP for 5 years and during the summer months she works in the Bookstore at Hartwick Pines.

Among her hobbies is being an avid reader, loves all kinds of baking, and enjoys organic gardening.

When asked why she likes to be a volunteer she said it helps her as much as she is helping others. She says she wouldn't be doing it unless she enjoyed it.

Thanks Myrtle for your many years of volunteer ser vice not only for our school program but also for other community groups.

Anyone interested in more information on the Crawford AuSable Schools Volunteer Program, please call Mrs. Wolf at 348-7641 ext. 52.

CARD OF THANKS

I'm proud to be part of a community with such an excellent medical facility, and a dedicated staff to maintain it. I'm grateful to Drs. Burkley, Fox and Rivera and the nurses at Mercy Hospital for their care and concern, and a thank you to my friends for their good wishes, cards and prayers.

Rose E. Duley

Easy Cutting

Raw meat and poultry should be partially frozen for easy slicing.

City Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the City Council held March 26, 1984. Meeting called to order by Mayor Pro-Tem Golnick at 7:30

Members present: Golnick, Sloan, Latuszek, Sabin.

Members absent: Thompson. Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager; Loren Goodale III, Don Geiss, Wendy Callan, Denise Harrington.

Motion by Sabin, supported by Latuszek that the minutes of the meeting of March 12, 1984 be approved as presented. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried.

Citizens who wish to speak. There were no Citizens who wished to speak.

Communications were received and noted.

From MML re: Legislative Bulletins (2). From Grayling Housing Commission re: Meeting Minutes. From Grayling Beautification Committee re: Minutes. From MML re: Regions VIII and IX Meeting May 8, 1984.

From Beth Wieland, County Clerk, re: Appreciation of City sewer crews quick response and efficient action.

data when received.

From Steven Southard re: Ingham St. Chamber of Commerce re: Election of Board of Directors. Motion by Sabin, supported by Sloan that City vote for John Alef II, Karen Kammer, Donna Masker and Don Schanz as new board members. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried. City Property Tax Board of Review hours for 1984 were detailed to council. Mr. Golnick requested more data regarding the board action. Mr. Morford will supply Councilmen with more

Old Business The site plan for Mr. Loren Goodale's proposed mini-storage development in the Industrial Park was considered by council. Mr. Morford presented a letter from Larry Ostrowski regarding the type of building proposed. Mr. Morford reviewed the proposal for council and noted that the site plan was in conformance with the City Zoning Ordinance and the Industrial Park restrictions. Mr. Goodale noted that the parking area is proposed to be hard surfaced in the future and that landscaping will be done in phases as the development progresses.

Motion by Sloan, supported by Latuszek that the site plan be approved as presented. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Abstain: 1, Golnick; Absent: 1, motion carried.

The City Manager presented an update on the status of the proposed adoption of the Michigan Uniform Traffic Code as a Citv Ordinance.

The City Manager discussed with council the status of the 1984 Street Program.

Mr. Morford presented a report on the MML Legislative Conference which was held in Lansing last Wednesday.

The City Manager reported on the status of his talks with

representatives of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners concerning the city assessing contract.

A report on a proposed Missing Child Action Policy for the City Police Dept. was discussed. Mr. Morford presented a revised draft prepared by Chief Stephan and himself. He suggested to council that the Police Chief and County Sheriff adopt the procedure as department policy and implement it as soon as possible. The council suggested that a press conference be held to explain the new procedure to the public as soon as possible. Mr. Morford noted that this would be done.

New Business. There was no New Business.

Reports of Council Members. Mr. Sabin asked a question regarding response from the Postmaster reference mail box relocation. Mr. Golnick noted that Mr. Baker had told him there would be someone from Chicago looking at the problem and he would be contacting Mr. Morford when they had developed a solution.

Mr. Sabin asked about Christmas decorations. Mr. Morford noted that the matter would be incorporated into the proposed hudget for discussion

Mr. Sabin asked that the February finance report be placed on the next agenda.

Mr. Sloan noted that the recent placement of walk, don't walk signs on the corner of Michigan Ave. and Cedar St. were not too attractive due to different pole sizes

Ms. Latuszek asked when Council would receive the preliminary budget data. Mr. Morford stated that he would hope to have the data to Council by or about April 9, 1984.

Mr. Golnick noted that he would like to have copies of departmental budgets submitted to council along with the proposed budget. Mr. Morford noted they would be included. Reports of City Manager.

Mr. Morford reported on the current employment status of the three tax abatements granted under Act 198 and the one tax abatement under Act 255. He noted that all have achieved the employment projected in their application and appear to be complying with the rules.

Adjournment. Motion by Sloan, supported by Sabin that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

Jerry W. Morford City Manager & City Clerk

Grayling Township Board

Special Meeting — March 2, 1984 Members present: J. Bonkowski, M. Hallett, R. O'Mara, M.

Ashton, B. Fowler. Members absent: None.

Guests: None. Supervisor Fowler called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. Purpose of the meeting is to review Economic Development Start-Up Grant Application for funds for a feasibility study of a forest products industrial rail siding and transloading facility on

After considerable discussion the following resolution was received for action by the Board.

WHEREAS, Grayling Township desires to undertake and complete a feasibility study with conceptual and design drawings for the construction of a forest products industrial rail siding and transloading facility on Four Mile Road at the Detroit & Mackinac Railroad crossing; and,

WHEREAS, Grayling Township wishes to seek funding assistance from the Michigan Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Program for an Economic Development Start-Up Grant to partially offset the cost of such a feasibility study in the amount of \$25,000; and,

WHEREAS, Grayling Township will secure the necessary local match for this grant from various state and local sources,

including the Township's General Fund; THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Grayling

Township Board of Trustees does hereby authorize the submittal of an Economic Development Start-Up Grant Application for the above stated purpose and further, that Bernard J. Fowler, Grayling Township Supervisor, be authorized to sign said grant application and other appropriate forms on behalf of Grayling

Moved by Bonkowski, supported by O'Mara, to adopt the above resolution at a meeting of the Grayling Township Board of Trustees held on March 2, 1984. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by Bonkowski, supported by O'Mara, meeting be adjourned. All ayes, motion carried. (5:25 p.m.) Respectfully submitted.

Monica S. Ashton, Clerk **GRAYLING TOWNSHIP BOARD**

Regular Meeting - March 13, 1984 Members present: J. Bonkowski, M. Hallett, R. O'Mara, M. Ashton, B. Fowler. Members absent: None

Guests: Bob Chappel, Howard K. Guyette, Brad Wilson, Cindy Brown, Brenda Johnson, Wendy Callan, Ronald W. Ball, Joe Elekonich, Mary Harland. Supervisor Fowler called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Hallett, to approve the minutes of February 14th, regular meeting as presented. All ayes, motion carried. Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Ashton, to approve the

treasurer's reported balances. All ayes, motion carried. 1. Correspondence regarding Timber Volume Hearing to be held March 22, 1984 at the Grayling Holiday Inn - 7:30 p.m. 2. Capital Currents highlighted appointment of David Rut-

ledge, M.T.A. District 18 Director, to the State Boundary Commission. 3. Federal Revenue Sharing notification that Grayling

Township's payment for Entitlement Period 15 will be \$14,883. 4. Letter of appreciation from Grayling Recreation Authority for the Township's January action clearing its \$4000.00 debt to the Township.

5. Assessing office report read and placed on file. 6. Building report read and placed on file. 7. Crawford County Sheriff's Department January Activities report summarized and placed on file.

8. Initiative petition forms to recall House Bill 44811 received and are on file for public at Township Office. 9. Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Hallett, to authorize clerk and supervisor to execute school agreement to collect

summer tax levies of Crawford AuSable Schools and C.O.O.R. Intermediate School District. All ayes, motion carried.

10. Supervisor Fowler notified the Board that Sheryl Wieland will be working April until September in the assessor's

11. Letter of inquiry from Jerry Jacklyn regarding legality of procedures used to pass Grayling Township Zoning Ordinance 83-4. Mr. Jacklyn cited several Michigan Attorney General's Opinions. However, the opinions were on procedures governing

Charter Townships and do not effect General Law Townships. Motion by Hallett, supported by O'Mara, to pay bills in the amount of \$6,210.57. Roll Call: Bonkowski - aye, Hallett - aye, O'Mara - aye, Ashton - aye, Fowler - aye. All ayes, motion

Motion by Bonkowski, supported by Hallett, meeting be adjourned. All ayes, motion carried. (8:10 p.m.)

Respectfully Submitted, Monica S. Ashton, Clerk

Crawford County Board of Commissioners

March 13, 1984 - Regular Meeting **SYNOPSIS**

The March 13, 1984 Meeting of the County Board of Comconvened at 9:30 a.m. with all Commissioners present, except Mattis. Mattis arrived at 9:45 a.m.; and twenty one visitors attended at various times.

IN FORMAL ACTION, THE BOARD:

-Approved the Feb. 23rd minutes as presented.

-Acknowledged and accepted 29 pieces of correspondence. -Approved payment of General Fund Vouchers in the amount of \$42,223.27, Fish Hatchery bills totalling \$186.87 and commissioners' salary, per diem and expenses respectively as follows: Kitchen - \$200.00, \$140.00 and none. Harland - \$150.00, \$260.00 and \$110.95, Neilson - \$150.00, \$320.00 and and \$60.72. Mattis - \$150.00, \$190.00 and \$67.56. Welser - \$150.00, \$130.00

and \$4.62. Miller - \$450.00, \$310.00 and \$92.40. Joyce - \$150.00, \$430.00 and \$216.67. -Approved a \$45.00 registration fee for Kitchen to attend a

Solid Waste Seminar. -Delayed consideration of an Attorney General's Opinion relative to easements across railroad right of ways pending fur-

ther investigation. -Authorized execution of the 1984 Special Use Permit with the DNR for the Fish Hatchery.

-Authorized the Sheriff to spend up to \$15 thousand on patrol vehicles from the State Auction, if the vehicles are suitable. -Granted ten days pay in lieu of vacation to a deputy sheriff. -Approved hiring of two part-time employees for the Marine

Program to cover the period from May 1st through Labor Day, -Authorized the Sheriff to fill a vacant corrections officer

position. -Moved to request that Roscommon County transfer one year eight months past service of the probation officer from their account under the Municipal Employees Retirement System to

Crawford's account. -Supported two Grand Traverse County Resolutions. The first urged the Legislature to reinstate the Sheriff's Secondary Road Patrol Budget at its full level of funding; the other supported removing the single cell occupany restriction on newly construc-

-Adopted a resolution petitioning the Legislature to amend the Michigan Lobbying Law as it pertains to local government.

-Adopted a resolution permitting salaried County Library employees to participate in the Michigan Municipal Employees Retirement System at a zero percent contribution by employees. -Moved to request the Grayling and Frederic Postal Services and the Road Commission to proceed with initiating the Consumer's Power Company numbering system. REPORTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

-The Mental Health District reorganized; and Judy Coffey of Wexford County is the Chairperson.

-The Transportation Authority has developed an employee policy manual and organization chart. The audit is near comple-

tion; and a report will follow. -A MAC meeting to discuss solid waste incineration, alternative energy sources, the railroad spur feasibility study and availability of land is scheduled for 11:00 a.m. April 16th at the K of C Hall. On hand will be representatives from the DNR, Military, State House of Representatives and Senate, Congress

and NEMCOG. -Programs and the budget of the Health Dept. were reviewed with Jack Cinco, Dept. Director. Over forty programs are offered in Crawford by the District, which receives 4% of our county budget. The Department cut \$20 thousand from its 1984 budget, \$11,700.00 of which was earmarked to cover Crawford's shortfall in appropriation. The funding formula for the Health Dept. is computed on population and state equalized value of the four participating counties. Only two of the four counties approved 1984 appropriation as requested. Crawford is still funding at the 1983 level. The Dept. is pursuing the JOBS Bill for high risk

-The Sheriff reported on personnel shortages, and the impact of the hiring freeze on his operation. A corrections officer resigned; and the Undersheriff has chosen to return to his former position in the Command Unit. Statute requires that another Undersheriff be appointed. The availability of a \$9,100.00 Marine Safety Grant was reviewed; and it was reported that no assistance has been received from Mercy Hospital relative to ambulance billing procedures.

-Fred Schaibly, Lovells Township Supervisor, inquired about the County's micro-computer system for payroll and accounting; and expressed interest in expanding its capabilities to accommodate tax rolls and assessments for the townships. Such an expansion of the program would cost approximately \$11 thousand. -Howard Taylor, Manager of the Grayling Recreation Authority, secured a consensus from the Board that a millage proposal for recreation should be placed on the ballot at the August Primary. A study committee was appointed to determine which parks in the County should be included; and the amount of millage to be requested.

-Randy Thompson, HUD Director, discussed the pre-applica-

tion for the DNR Land and Conservation Fund Grant for the Wakeley Bridge site. It was decided that he should delay the preapplication until it was determined whether Wakeley Bridge Park would be included under any recreation millage proposal. -Beverly Cuthbert, DSS Director, briefed the Board on the present DSS Hospitalization Program, which covers lifethreatening situations only. DSS is considering expanding the program to include situations in which permanent damage would result without treatment. Broadening the coverage could result in the County being liable for the difference between what medicaid pays and the cost for treatment. The program was referred to the Assistant Prosecutor for review.

-DPW reported that no additional money from the counties was required for road repair at the landfill. We're still awaiting DNR acceptance of the construction plans. The clay cover will be the biggest expense. Corp of Engineers assistance is still being sought.

-The financial position of the County's insurance authority has been termed excellent. -Commissioner Joyce will participate in a Land Use Inventory

TV presentation March 28th. -Labor reported that AFSCME negotiations are underway; and Sheriff Dept. non-supervisory personnel have elected to affiliate with the Fraternal Order of Police. It is hoped that contracts will

be ready for ratification soon. -A special use permit is being considered by the Zoning Commission.

DISCUSSION ITEMS INCLUDED: -A Senate Bill regarding full-time prosecutors. Mattis contact-

ed Senators Binsfeld and Irwin to state opposition. -A request for an Artrain contribution. No monies are budgeted for community promotion; and a legal opinion will be obtained to

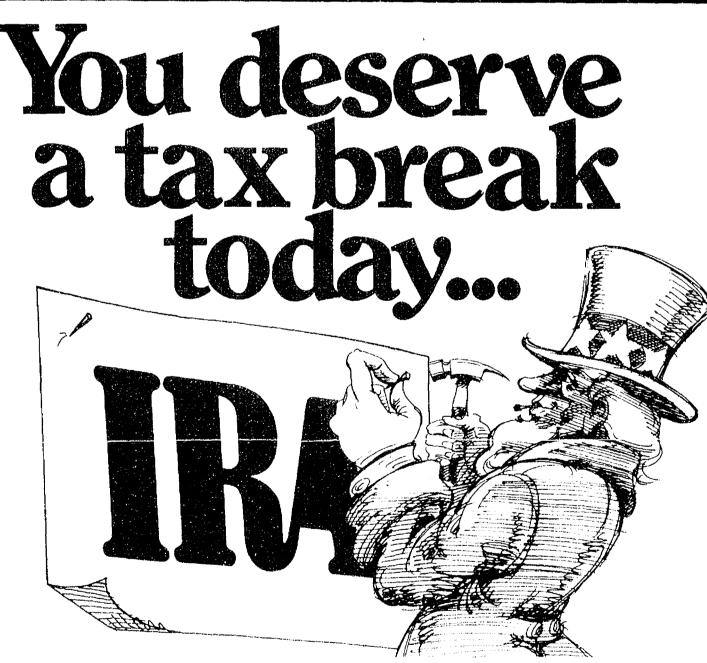
see if such appropriations are proper. -The vehicle purchase line item in the Sheriff's budget. The 1983 budget allowed \$23,500.00 for vehicles; and the figure was only backed into the 1982 budget by the audit. Since 1984 funding was intended to be set at 1983 levels; and since the \$23,500.00 was meant for the 1983 budget; that amount for vehicles should have been carried forth to 1984, and be an

allowable expense. -The County's responsibilities and liabilities relative to the library. The Prosecutor's Office will be asked for an opinion. -The procedure for cancelling scheduled committee meetings.

Notification of cancellation is presumed to be the responsibility of the committee chairperson. Meeting adjourned at 5:35 p.m. Full text of official minutes is available in the Office of the Craw-

ford County Clerk. Jeannette J. Kitchen, Chairperson Elizabeth H. Wieland, County Clerk

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Notice Lovells Township

Anyone interested in being a member of Lovells Township Zoning Board please call Ellen Spencer 348-9557 or Fred Schaibly 348-8172.

TO THE RESIDENTS OF **GRAYLING TOWNSHIP**

Please be notified the Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at its regular meeting on April 16, 1984, at 7:00 p.m. in the Township office, West M-72 Plaza, to hear

Case #84-7: Jass Birtcher, petitioner. G-B Zone. Riverside Subdivision, Lot 24.

A request for a variance of 27' to place an enclosed porch 23' from river.

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Correspondence concerning the requests should be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, Mi 49738. Tel: [517] 348-4361.

Monica S. Ashton, Grayling Township Clerk

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Rusty Gates was a guest fly tyer for a Trout Unlimited banquet sponsored by the Cleveland Museum of Natural History on March 20, 1984. Over 180 people attended the \$50 a plate dinner. The featured speaker was Lee Wulff, founding father of modern stream conserva-

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The Schans family made a trip to Florida. On the way down they stopped in New Baltimore where they stayed for a few days because Laura had a floral convention in Dearborn at the Hyatt Regency. They took I-75 all the way to Florida to visit Grandma and Grandpa Schans in Dunedin: With their grandparents they went to Busch Gardens. Leaving there they went to Grandma and Grandpa Laulus' in Orlando. With them they went to Sea World, Disney World, and Cape Kennedy. Leaving there they stopped at great grandma and grandpa Mangolds' for a day, having dinner with them and cousins. They also visited great aunt and uncle Collins. On their way back they came through Georgia, S. Carolina, N. Carolina and Tennessee. In New Baltimore they stopped for a surprise birthday at an uncle's. In Flint they picked

Larson-Keene

Speak Vows

Cindy Keene and Donald

M. Larson, both of Grayling,

were united in marriage

Saturday, January 21, 1984 in

The bride is the daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Howard

Madsen of Grayling and the

groom is the son of Mr. and

Mrs. Dan Larson, Harbor

The groom is a graduate of

Harbor Beach High School

and is attending Kirtland

Community College. The

bride is a graduate of Gray-

ling High School and is at-

tending Kirtland Community

College. Both will graduate

A reception was held Ma

ch 10th at the K of C Hall,

Ruth, Michigan. Guests at-

tended from Detroit,

Auburn, Saginaw, Vassar,

Frankenmuth, Millington,

Sebewaing, Bad Axe, Elton

The couple is residing in

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thanks to Joell Schans for

Avenue. 348-7423. Werner and Diane Christman combined a business trip and pleasure trip when they flew to Scottsdale, Arizona, to attend a seminar for the plastics industry concerning the industry "In Our Economy Today". From there they flew to Sacramento for a family reunion at Folsom, California, and then went from Lake Tahoe to Mexico before returning

to Grayling. Florafax Floral Wire Service available at Main Street Florals, 227 Michigan Avenue. Ph. 348-7423.

Mercy Hospital **Auxiliary News**

Thursday, April 12th is our meeting date - board meets at 10 a.m., regular business meeting at 1:30 p.m. Several things are in the planning stage - come to the meeting and give some input into future projects.

Rosalia Matyn

Senior Citizens **Activities**

Mon., April 9 - 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 1:00 p.m.-Discount Cards, 1:30 p.m.-Osteoporosis/Cheryl Melroy, Speaker, p.m.-Song Birds/ Choral, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner, 5:30 p.m.-Current Events.

Tues., April 10 - 10:00-1:00 p.m.-CPR Training, 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 1:30 p.m.-Bowling, 4:15 p.m.-Housing Board Meeting, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner, 5:30 p.m.-Dancing.

Wed., April 11 - 9:00 a.m.-Comm. on Aging Meeting, 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 12:30 p.m.-Bingo, 1:30 p.m.-Stag Party, 1:30 p.m.-RSVP Advis., 4:30 p.m.-Cardo, 5:00 p.m.-Birthday Dinner, 5:30 p.m.-Rev. Evoy.

Thurs., April 12 - 10:00 a.m.-Bible Study, 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 12:30 p.m.-Blood Pressures, 1:30 p.m.-Kitchen Band, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner, 5:30 p.m.-"Ophthalmology"/Jane Kennedy, Medical Consultant for Michigan Cataract Inst.

Fri., April 13 - 9:00 a.m.-Oil Painting, 11:30 a.m.-South Branch Satellite, 12:00 Noon - Dinner, No activities are planned in the afternoon so that any Senior Citizens in the county can feel free to use the center for cards,

games, pool, etc. **SPECIAL EVENTS**

April 27th - Chinese in Kalkaska. 80-100 yr. & Handicapped trip. Bus leaves at 3:00 p.m.

April 29th - Brownwood, Torch Lake. 3:00 p.m., \$12.00. Sign up now.

For more information, please call 348-9314, or stop by the Center at 308 Lawndale Drive in Grayling.

Have you made your dinner reservations yet? Just call 348-9314.

City of Grayling **Annual Spring** Cleanup Program

For the past several years the City has maintained a program involving spring cleanup. Again this year the City Police Department has started preparation for surveying the Grayling residential and business areas for unregistered or junk vehicles, accumulated debris and unsafe struc-

tures. Every year, it has been noted, the efforts of the program have became easier, largely due to the Public awareness and responses to request notices mailed to residents or businesses.

The City would like to express appreciation to our area Citizens for these past efforts. In continuing support of City Ordinances 72-3 and Ordinance No. 22 the survey is scheduled to be completed by the end of April. Notices will be mailed addresses having material accumulation appearing in violation of these ordinances. Anyone wishing information as to methods for disposing of junk or old vehicles, may contact the Grayling City Office (348-2131). With Citizen Cooperation again in this years "Clean Up" the community will be neat and attractive well in advance of "Michigan Week".

> Thank you, Peter W. Stephan Chief of Police Grayling P.D.

Vet's Notice

The American Legion Veterans Service officer will be at the American Legion Post 106 Grayling on Monday, April 9 from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. and again on Wednesday, April 25 from 9:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. to assist all veterans and their dependents with any claims they may have with the veterans administration.

This is a Free Service and the veteran does not have to belong to the American Legion.

Please Clean **Out Lockers** This Weekend

Area skiers are requested to clean out their ski lockers at Hanson Park sometime this weekend. The Lodge will be open from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Saturday and from noon until 5:00 p.m. on Sunday. While at the park to clean out your locker, plan to enjoy part of the day playing the video games in the park Arcade or playing a round of golf on the mini golf course.

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Thurs., April 5, 1984

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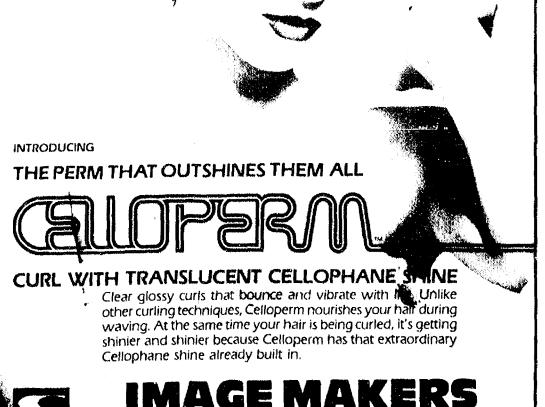
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LOVELLS TAXPAYERS

Attention: Walter Leibold Trustee of Lovells Township

The proposed 1984-1985 Lovells Township budget was prepared by Board Members other than yourself. The budget was considered under the guidelines of Michigan Public Act No. 621 of 1978. The pertinent part of that act is here reproduced for your edification.

"Michigan Public Act No. 621 of 1978 states that "the Chief Administrative Officer of the local unit of government will assume responsibility for the preparation, presentation and control of the budget. Department heads will provide necessary information to the chief administrative officer for budget preparation. The chief administrative officer will present the recommended budget to the legislative body. The legislative body will have adequate time to review the recommended budget and may request necessary information for consideration of the budget. The legislative body will hold a public hearing prior to final approval of the budget."

You as a Trustee should have been aware of this act as above. It appears to me that you shot yourself in the foot. You have attempted to mislead the electorate into believing that something was being hidden in the budget because you were not privy to the preparation of said budget. I consider your blurb as it appeared in the 29 March issue of the Crawford County Avalanche, an insult to the integrity of the other members of the Lovells Township Board.

JIM L. SPENCER
Major Armor
U.S. Army Retired





director of programs for the Saginaw Bay Chapter of the March of Dimes, presents Mike Zavasky and Sara Bobenmoyer awards and medals for being the top readers from the Grayling Elementary in the March of Dimes Reading Olympics. Sara read 110 books and Mike raised \$110. Winning awards from the Frederic Elementary were Patty Timmons (right, bottom photo) and Beth Bobenmoyer. Beth read 100 books and Patty raised \$23.

A total of \$1,440 was raised and both the Grayling and Frederic schools received a plaque and book for their library from the March of Dimes. (Photos by Jon Thompson)

Bibletime

Marketplace

Three local churches are

in the planning stages for a

vacation Bible school this

summer based on life as

Jesus lived. Members of St.

Francis' Episcopal, St.

John's Lutheran and Michel-

son Memorial United Metho-

dist Churches are busy with

setting up Jewish tribal units

for the week of June 18th

through the 22nd. The child-

ren will be in families with a

Mother who will see that

they are in costume each

day, help with learning Bible

verses, serve snack and see

that her "family" gets to the

Many different learning

activities are being planned

the tribes will do. Tents are

needed for each tribe to call

home for the week. People

having one the churches

could use for that week

please call Ann Morford at

348-2974 or one of the chur-

ches. Other items needed are

wood scraps for the wood-

working area and nails.

These may be left at the

Michelson Memorial United

Methodist Church anytime

between now and the middle

The week will end with a

Jewish praise service of

chants and story telling from

the week of living as Jesus

did as a boy. This is a large

adventure for the churches

and the rewards to the staff

and the children involved

will be great. If you have

anything you could share

with the children about

Jewish life please contact

Ann Morford.

of June.

special activities each day.

Mich. Pro Rally Set for May 4-5-6

Midland- Midland has been chosen as the headquarters for the 1984 Michigan International Pro-Rally, scheduled for Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 4, 5, and 6.

The Valley Plaza Hotel and convention complex will be the home site for the event, which will bring the top rally drivers and cars from across the United States and Canada.

The rally will start Saturatay afternoon with competitive stages in the Midland County area. Throughout Saturday, stages will move northward, with many stages being run in Roscommon County and the Houghton Lake area.

Pro-Rallying features sports cars carrying both a driver and a co-driver. The actual competitive driving takes place on closed roads called stages - where the cars travel one at a time against the clock.

MIPR '84 will feature many top factory-sponsored teams. John Buffum will return to defend his MIPR title in his factory-supported Audi Quattro. Also returning to Michigan will be Rod Millen in his specially-built four-wheel-drive Mazda RX-7, Guy Light and his Oldsmobile Omega and Peugeotsponsored drivers Jon Woodner, Gary Eaton and Carolyn

Eaton.

Over 60 entries are expected for the event, which is organized by the Saginaw Valley Region of the Sports

Car Club of America.

Volunteer Orientation

The Grayling Health Care Center will be conducting its first Volunteer Orientation on Monday, April 9, 1984, beginning at 9:00 a.m. at the new facility.

All interested volunteers are asked to call for confirmation of their reservation. Please contact Mimi Wilson, Activities Director/Volunteer Coordinator, between the hours of 9-5 Monday thru Friday telephone 348-2801 ext. 28 Thank You. All interested individuals are encouraged to attend.

Editor's Mailbox

Dear "Unproud",
I think it is very unfair and
rude of you to condemn two
'local' boys with "clean
records" when you are approximately 3,860 miles
away and do not know what
happened.

I agree with one of your statements Mrs. Houlton, it is 1984 not 1960, how do you think the Shawono boys earned their way to working and sweating 8 hours a day, 5 days a week, for 3 years? Well, they certainly did not do it by being "Model" citizens. They are criminals. Yes, they served their time, but then time changes appearances and obviously in this case, appearances only. The boys are not forced to work, it is their choice.

At the time of the argument Mrs. Houlton they were under no apparent supervision, they were on their honor, obviously they cannot be trusted.

You also mentioned the fighting and damages that occur in local bars. Well you aren't forced to go to those places, it is your own decision. Also if you do not like the memories of this countries past don't think about them.

A little advice New Proud, criticism is a great help, if not missused, so next time become at least somewhat familiar with your argument before passing criticism.

Earlier that afternoon the Shawono boys were harrassing the younger females, could it be our local boys were defending rights??

Coincidently there are arguments that have only one side involved, if that's what you wish to call this incident. I prefer attack, just remember the old saying "you had to be there" upset but proud citizen that was there.

Sheri SanCartier P.S. Sorry the mail is so slow

Editor's Mailbox

Dear Editor, Re: Little Miss Human

To the people of Grayling, I hope the picture of the small baby girl who was murdered by her own mother had the same effect on others as it had on me. "Horror" how low morally we have stooped to rid ourselves of an unnecessary

I have been in the world of animals for thirty-five years and have never seen an animal aborted in such a cruel unhumane way, puppies and kittens do at least have a sporting chance to be born, live, and have a happy home or put humanly to sleep. I know there is much cruelty in the animal world but this picture is one of us, a

human being.

We do nothing to stop it. I see no marches, no crowds outside the White House, no picket lines. Most people will turn away, there is no one to help these babies, nobody to stay the hand of the killer, no one to ease the pain whilst the salt engulfs their little body in the confinds of its mothers body.

Never will these babies have the fun of Christmas or look forward to a birthday party, be hugged by a loving parent

There are many Christians who know abortion is against the will of God; there are many who do not believe in God, they must believe in the existence of pain, and fear, life, and death. The horror and pain of the death of this little girl along with the millions of other helpless babies must never be forgotten. Abortion must be avoided at all costs. It is degrading to this country and to its people.

June E. Robinson



BOOSTERS SEND TO ALL-STATE GAME—Darin White, an 1984 all-state football player, receives a check for \$185 from Grayling Booster Club board member Jim Tobin, who also earned all-state honors at GHS. The money will help White attend the 1984 All-State Game Saturday, August 4. White's head coach, Bill Klinger, said White is one of 80 players from all schools in the state to be selected to play in the 3rd Annual All-State Game. The 6'3" 220-pounder will attend a nine-day camp at MSU from July 26 to Aug. 4 to prepare with the West squad for the game. (Photo by Jon Thompson)

Grayling Insurance Agency Joins

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by Bill Geeseman.

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THANK YOU

Thank you to all our many friends & family. A big thank you for all the flowers, carcards, visits & phone calls during my recent hospital stay, also a special thanks to the Gerrish Township Ambulance for their quick response and loving care I received at the time of my accident, also thank you to all the staff of Mercy Hospital for the wonderful care extended to me. Words can't begin to express how much your thoughtfulness has meant to me and my family.

Thank you one and all.

Hope to see you all around the first of May in our new location.

Sincerely, Pat Kage (Nickelodeon)

Hospital News

Those admitted to Mercy Hospital the past week include: Hazel Tottingham, Karen Hutek, Jane Hurd and James Barclay of Grayling. Russell Murphy, Ellen Teubert, and George Comerzan of Roscommon.

Discharged from Mercy are Justin Clay, Denise Ray, and Ellen Teubert of Roscommon. Frank Jenson, Gladys Howe and Edmund Zimmerman of Grayling, also Roger Fairbrother of Frederic.

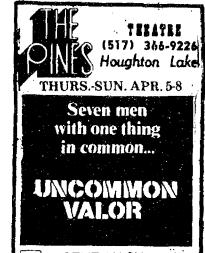
Matthew and Tammy Downing announce the birth of their son, Jason William born March 23, 1984 at 4:57 p.m. He weighed in at 8 lbs. 6 ozs. and is 21" long.

Joan and Paul Fax of Mio, are the proud parents of a baby girl born March 26, 1984 at 12:09 p.m. She weighed 7 lbs. 11½ ozs. and is 20" long.

Mike and Dawn Buchanan of Fairview proudly announce the birth of their son, Adam born March 26, 1984. He weighed 7 lbs. 7 ozs. and is 21" long.

William and Ellen Teubert of Roscommon proudly announce the birth of their son, William Eugene on March 28, 1984. He weighed 4 lbs. 7 ozs. and is 17½" long.

William and Jane Hurd are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Nicholas on March 29, 1984. He weighed 8 lbs. 11½ ozs.



R GENE HACKMAN-7:30 ONLY EACH NIGHT NEXT: "SILKWOOD"

Public Notice

The Men's Softball League will meet Monday, April 9th in the basement of Chief Shoppenagons at 7:30. All managers & sponsors are urged to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

Our family would like to express our grateful appreciation to the Gerrish Higgins township fire dept. and police for their prompt and professional action taken during our house fire on March 16. We would also like to thank our neighbors, friends, churches and organizations that have helped us get on our feet again. Everyone has been so kind, generous and helpful.

Thank you everyone for keeping us in your prayers and thoughts.

Jamey, Sandy and Wade Seals. 15 Crawford Co. Avalanche

Masons to Meet April 5th

Grayling Lodge #356 F&A.M. will meet Thursday, April 5th for their regular meeting, there will be an All You Can Eat Spaghetti Dinner, open to the public, starting at 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Donations are \$3.00 per person.

Lodge will open at 7:30 p.m. and all masons are urged to attend.

All members of the degree team and anyone interested in being on the degree team should be at this meeting.

Dale A. Peterson,

The Avalanche — Your Want Ad Paper Thurs., April 5, 1984
Understanding

Young

Adolescents

The period from 10 - 14 is the fastest growing period in one's life. Here is a chance to learn more about early adolescence.

An early adolescent workshop featuring Dr. JoAnn Keith, Dept. of Family and Child Ecology, Michigan State University will be held in Grayling, Crawford County Courthouse Basement on Wednesday, April 11th from 7:00-9:00 p.m.

There is no charge for this program, however, preregistration is necessary. To register please contact the Cooperative Extension Service office at 348-2841, ext. 265.

SENIOR CITIZENS

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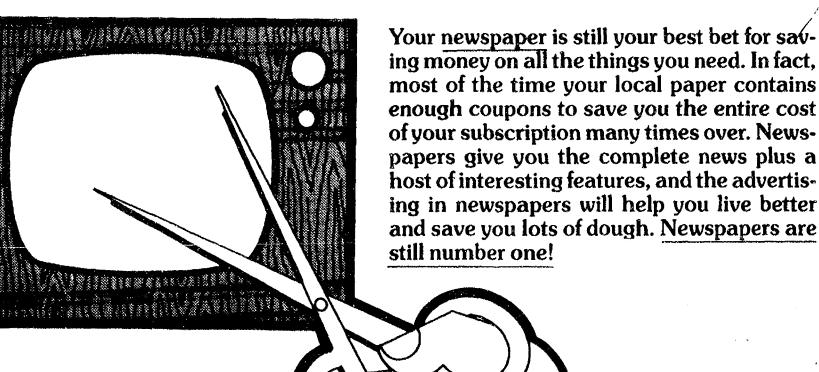
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BOOSTER CLUB BUYS CHILD CAR **SEATS** — Bert Kaiser, a member of the Grayling Youth Booster Club board of directors, gives Helen Campbell, director of Crawford County Sibs for Kids, a check for \$360 to buy 12 child car seats for a program to make car seats available in Crawford County.

Chamber Chatter

By Joyce Kolka

April is "Secretary's Month." The Grayling Holiday Inn again this year is hosting its annual Secretary's Day Luncheon on Tuesday, April 10th. Every employer should invite his or her secretary to this special event. So very often the appreciation of a secretary's work is never shown and sometimes even forgotten, so this is one little inexpensive way to say "Thank You" for all those little extra deeds and jobs well done. Bosses, pick up your phone now, dial 348-7511 extension 305 and make your reservations. It's a special experience for you both and makes for a better working relationship. Happy Secretary's Day!

This week we welcome Ray Schwiercz of Mayday Window Company into chamber membership. The Mayday Window Company is located on North Down River Road. Welcome aboard, Ray!

Now that spring has sprung, Cindy & Brian Peacock are in desperate need of help for the mushroom hunt. Dial 348-8692 if you're interested in volunteering some time and ideas.

The Grayling Youth Booster Club is holding its annual Swiss Steak Dinner at Patty's Country House on Saturday, April 7th beginning at 4:30. The entire community benefits greatly from this generous organization, that's why the entire community should attend and support it...and the steak

After having dinner with the Youth Booster Club on April 7th, make an evening of it and attend the Las Vegas Night Party at Hanson Park Lodge. The proceeds go for the operation of the park; another plus for Crawford County, Dinner at Patty's and entertainment at the park, both priced for every-

Join the crowd and support your local activities.

Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 4/8-4/14/84

companion.

inheritance.

ARIES

Mar. 21-Apr. 19

Be alert to hidden flaws in a business proposition from a superior. Your public standing is on the line.

TAURUS Apr. 20-May 20

Your caring attitude toward one who is experiencing life's hard knocks is greatly appreciated. You will be repaid

Harmony among friends and in

the performing arts are favored. No

need for a haughty, aristocratic pose.

A romantic opportunity arises from

your participation in a travelogue.

You may find an ideal travelling

It would seem that you are in line for

a gain—possibly some news of an

Public relations matters can be ac-

complished with ease. You have just

the right words needed for the occa-

Opportunities for social and romantic

activities arise from your participation

Be assured of a successful party should

you decide to sponsor the springtime

fiesta. Accent is on creative works.

Channel your thoughts and energies

into improving your base of oper-

ations. A remodeling project should

Your inspirational communications

in industrial health activities.

GEMINI May 21-June 20

organizational dealings is the key to achieving success in objectives. Business dealings having to do with

CANCER June 21-July 22

LEO

July 23-Aug. 22

VIRGO Aug. 23-Sept. 22

LIBRA

Sept. 23-Oct. 22

SCORPIO Oct. 23-Nov. 21

SAGITTARIUS

Nov. 22-Dec. 21

CAPRICORN

Dec. 22-Jan. 19

AQUARIUS Jan. 20-Feb. 18

PISCES

Feb. 19-Mar. 20

there will be a price in due time.

with family members gives hope for improvement in a difficult situation. Financial favors sought at this time will be successful. Just remember-

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF GRAYLING TOWNSHIP

go well.

The Grayling Township Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on April 24, 1984, at 7:00 p.m. in the Township office, West M-72 Plaza, to hear the following case:

Case #84-1A. An amendment to the Grayling Township Zoning Ordinance 83-4, R-F Zone, Sec. 16.3: Requirements for Principal Use, A & B. Copies of the proposed amendment can be obtained at the Grayling Township office during regular business hours.

Correspondence should be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, Mi 49738. Tel. (517) 348-4631.

Monica S. Ashton Grayling Twp. Clerk -5-19-

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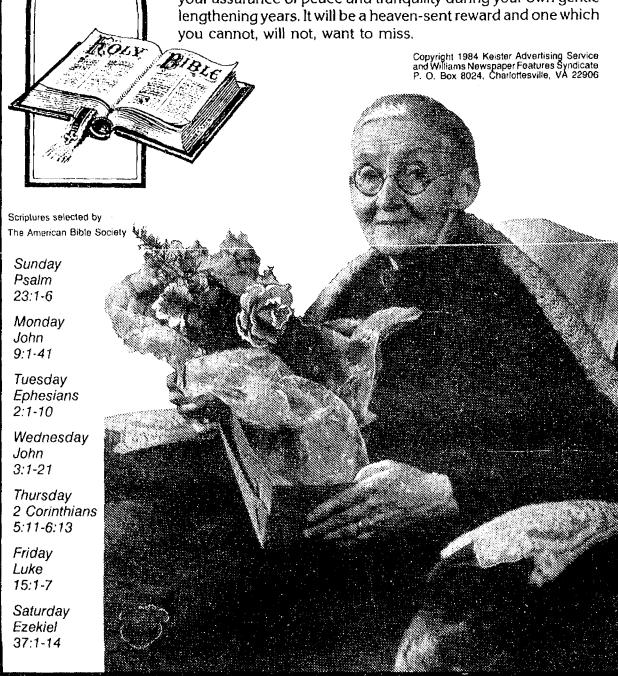
Putting Things In Order

In this age of medicare, social security and homes for the aged, sometimes people forget an important part of growing old — tranquility!

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Have you ever noticed that old people have a knack of putting things in order? In fact, they need everything tidy, neat and sure. Certainly their greatest need is for peace and security - but this can come only when they are at peace with God!

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Daniels' Den

Jerry Retzloff from Petoskey will be the featured entertainer at Daniels' Den this Saturday. Jerry is a counselor at The Halfway Home in Petoskey and formerly played with the band Yesuah from Alpena. He plays the guitar and sings and we know you will enjoy his sharing.

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Notice of Dissolution of Partnership

Notice is hereby given that the Partnership composed of KM Production Company, a Texas corporation, Coastal Associates, Inc., a Texas corporation, and Badger Oil Corporation, a Louisiana corporheretofore business under the firm name of Continental Coastal Company, at 1300 Main St., Suite 1840, Houston, Texas 77002, is dissolved as of March 21, 1984, by the mutual consent of the Partners. The partners will not be responsible for debts or liabilities contracted or incurred by Continental Coastal Company after March 21. 1984. KM Production Company has been designated Liquidating Partner to wind up the affairs of the Partner-

-5-12-19-

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN In The Probate Court For The County of Crawford File No. 4179 **PUBLICATION AND** NOTICE OF HEARING Estate of SELINA H. SCOTT, Deceased.

Date of Death: October 11, 1983. Social Security No. 363-20-4714.

TAKE NOTICE: On Monday, July 30, 1984 at 10:00 a.m., in the probate courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, before Hon. Emil L. Kraus Judge of Probate, a hearing

will be held. TAKE NOTICE: Creditors of Selina H. Scott, Deceased, whose last-known address was Rte. 1, Box 108, Old US 27, Frederic, Michigan 49733, are notified that all claims against the Decedent's Estate are barred against the Estate, the Independent Personal Representative, and the heirs and the devisees of the Decedent, unless, within four (4) months after the date of publication of this Notice, of Four (4) months after the claim becomes due, whichever is later, the claim is presented to the following Independent Personal Representative, at the following address:

Dated: February 27, 1984. BRYAN D. SCOTT Rte. 1, Box 108, Old US 27 Frederic, Mi 49733 Tele. (517) 348-3279 JOHN G. HUNTER (P27417) 306 State Street, P.O. Box 708 Grayling, Michigan 49738 Tele. (517) 348-6141.

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well! I appreciate all the people that put in many hours on the pageant and to our community for your support. Because of you it is all possible. I only hope that I convey how much I appreciate each job that has been done no matter how small. Again, thanks a million!

Sincerely, Norma J. Naour, Pageant Director

Notice of **Public Sale**

TO WHOM IT MAY CON-

CERN: PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to a Decree of Foreclosure entered by the Honorable William A. Porter, Circuit' Judge for Crawford Michigan, February 21, 1984, the following described parcels of real estate will be sold at public sale by the Sheriff of Crawford County at the Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan, at 2:00 PM on Friday, May 18, 1984

A. Lot 17, Plat of Warbler's Hideaway, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 12, Crawford County Records;

B. Lots 501 and 606, Plat of Warbler's Hideaway No. 4, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 24, Crawford County Records;

C. Lots 189 and 190, Plat of Northern Heights, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 27, Crawford

County Records; and, D. Lots 343 and 344, Plat of Northern Heights No. 2, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Pages 35 through 37, Crawford County Records.

Lots will be sold "as is" and without any representation as to marketability of title and/or obligation to pay delinquent taxes

MORGAN & FUZAK, P.C. Ronald G. Morgan Attorneys for Warbler's Hideaway Association 200 Woodland Pass, Suite B E. Lansing, Mi 48823 Tele: (517) 351-6011 Dated: February 22, 1984 -1-8-15-22-29-5-

Notice of Sale

NOTICE is hereby given that, by virtue of a Writ Of Execution issued out of the 83rd District Court for the County of Crawford, in favor of DEREK E. McEVERS, SORENSON d/b/a FUNERAL HOME, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of JOHN ROBIDEAU, in the County to me directed and delivered, I did, on April 29, 1983, levy upon and take all the right. title, and interest of JOHN

ROBIDEAU in and to the following described lands: The West half (W1/2) of the South half (S1/2) of the South half (S½) of the South half (S½) of the Northeast quarter (NE1/4) of the Northeast quarter (NE14) of Section Twenty-Four (24), Town Twenty-Five North (T25N), Range Four West (R4W), Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County. Michigan, all of which I shall expose for sale at public sale, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Courthouse, located at 200 Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan, where the Circuit Court is held in the County in which the real estate is situated, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court within the County of Crawford, May 9, 1984, at 9:00

Dated: March 23, 1984. Joseph P. White, Sheriff of the County of Crawford,

Grayling, Michigan John B. Huss Attorney for Derek E. McEvers, d/b/a Sorenson Funeral Home Grayling Mini Mall P.O. Box 832 Gravling, Michigan 49738 (517) 348-5431 -29-5-12-19-26-3-

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by JOSEPH N. MATTHEWS of 3780 N. Euclid, Bay City, Michigan, as Mortgagor, to MICHAEL C. SMITH and ANN GODDEYNE, husband and wife, of 36 Bank Street, Lebanon, New Hampshire 03766, as Mortgagee, dated the 4th day of June, 1983 in Liber 216 of Mortgages, Pages 345-346, upon which Mortgage is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum EIGHT THOUSAND SEVENTY-ONE and 29/100 DOLLARS (\$8,071.29) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part.

Amended Notice

of Mortgage Sale

therof. NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 27th day of April, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. in the forenoon, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held, of the premises described in said Mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said Mortgage, with interest thereon at ten (10%) per cent per annum, and all legal costs, expenses and charges, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum which may be paid by the undersigned to protect its interest in the premises which said premises are described as

follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 31, Town 25 North, Range 2 West, running thence North 200 feet, thence West to the South Branch of the AuSable River, thence South along said river to the North 1/8 line of said Section 31, thence East along said 1/8 line to the point of beginning. Said description includes all land to the waters edge. Crawford County, Michigan and South Branch Town-

The period of redemption according to MSA 27A3240(3) expires six (6) months from the date of sale.

MICHAEL C. SMITH and ANN GODDEYNE, husband and wife, Mortgagee Dated this 14th day of March,

DOUGLAS C. DOSSON Attorney at Law

309 Lake Street P.O. Box 593 Roscommon, Michigan 48653 -22-29-5-12-19-26-

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 28th day of August 1980, by DENNIS J. & RENEE R. VanANT-WERP, husband and wife as mortgagor(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on September 2, 1980, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 189 of mortgages on pages 522-525; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Twenty eight thousand twenty and 87/100 Dollars (\$28,020.87) principal and Six thousand five hundred thirty and 53/100 Dollars (\$6,530.53) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given that on April 25, 1984 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Front Steps (East Side) of the Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit: That property located in Crawford County, in the State of Michigan. Lots 18, 19, and 20, Block 1 of Karen Woods Subdivision, Grayling Township, County of Crawford. The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus 111/2% interest and unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. Dated March 14, 1984. For additional information, please contact: UNITED STATES AMERICA, acting through Farmers Home Administration, Room 209, 1405 South Harrison Road, East

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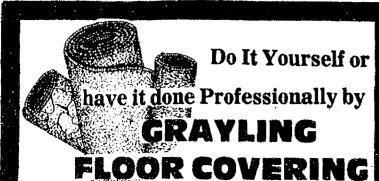
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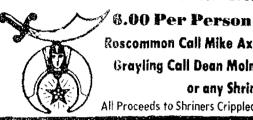
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Community Calendar Of Events

Apr. 7 - Swiss Steak Dinner - 4:30-8:30 p.m. Patty's Country House sponsored by Grayling Youth

Apr. 7 - Lincoln Day Dinner - Republican Party - Am. Legion Hall 6 p.m. Apr. 9 - Blood Pressure Clinic - Mercy Hospital 3:30-

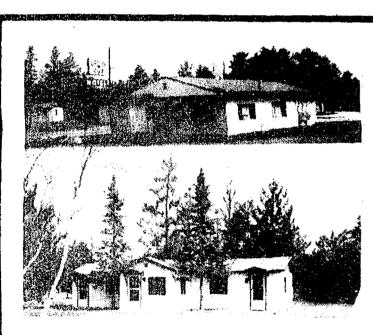
Apr. 9 - "Make Your Property Count" by Dept. of Soil

Conservation - Hillside Farm 7:30 p.m. Apr. 10 - Secretary's Day Luncheon - 12:00 Holiday Inn Apr. 12 - Chamber Board of Directors Meeting 12:00

Apr. 12 - Little League Meeting 7:00 p.m. - M.A.T.E.S. Phone in your public events to: 348-2921. Join the crowd and support

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1. Jo Ann's Fudge30 7. Glen's Mkt......14 High Series: D. Canfield 605, R. Case 587, L. Davis 564. High Game: R. Case 223, D. Canfield 222, D. Lozon 220. NORTHWOOD LEAGUE

wood 188, S. Sloan 177. High Series: J. Hinds 575, M. Gosling 497, J. Harwood 483. TRIANGLE LEAGUE

1. Milltown Party Store 1431/2 2. 7-Eleven......1231/2 3. Parsons Advertising1121/2 4. Jack the Tinner 110½ 8. D & J Electronics91 High Game: K. Moore 209. M. Friske 209, W. Fedewa 204. High Series: K. Moore 573, M. Friske 539, W. Fedewa 535. AMERICAN 2nd DIV.

5. Stewart Sandwiches...............28 B. McLeans ProMart141/2 High Series: L. Davis 639, B. Hart 575, J. Cherven 568. High Game: L. Davis 261, J. Cherven 223, B. Trenary 221. THURS, MORNING COFFEE LEAGUE

3. P&D, D&M, D&B Tires Inc 291/2 4. Terri's Vinyl......27 5. Parsons Advertising 251/2 High Game: B. DeHart 213, S. Pelton 200, D. Callahan 177.

Nary 486, M. Canfield 477. FRIDAY NICHT MIXED 6. Stephan Wood Products 201/2 Peterson 182, C. Aytes 179.

High Series: K. Moshier 497, S. Harney 475, P. Shepherd 453. High Game: J. Walker 193, S. Hanson & R. Lobsinger 187, T. Newman & J. Golnick 180. High Series: T. Newman 516, J.

Walker 512, S. Hanson 508. SUNDAY AFTERNOON FUN LEAGUE

7. Grayling Restaurant23 Diener & H. Baker 517, C. Lovely 499. High Game: D. Henning 220, H. Baker 213, C. Lovely 205. High Series: K. Ashton 505, P. Har-

wood 439, B. Lovely 430. High Game: K. Ashton 178 & 173, J. Annis 171, P. Harwood 166. SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED DOUBLES

1. AJD Forest Products......25 5. Down River True Value20 Montgomery 157, 150, S. Phillips, B.

High Series: K. Moshier 467, C. Montgomery 454, S. Phillips 426. High Game: R. Kea 236, D. Ray 213, W. Fedewa 211 High Series: R. Kea 584, W. Fedewa 531, G. Leas, D. Ray 525.

SENIOR CITIZENS 1. Doran671/2 2. Cornell Ins......671/2 3. ProMart.....62 B. NNB......62 5. Great Lakes55 8. R & H Sports......37 High Series: B. Burrick 570, D. Farner 534, R. Zalac 518,

High Game: B. Burrick 230, D. Farner 212, G. Williams 189. High Series: D. Burrick 511, D. Bellanger 487, B. Cline 445. High Game: D. Burrick 207, R. Reetz 180, D. Bellanger 177. EARLY BIRDS

Down River True Value 221/2 AuSable Martistee Rity 171/2 Klein & Klein Ins.....16 High Game: R. Wiltse 178, L. CdeBaca 156, T. Millikin 155. High Series: R. Wiltse 449, S. Brooks 412, L. CdeBaca 407.

High Game: Larry Davis 220, M. Barr 188 & 173. High Series: M. Barr 500, Larry Davis 470, K. Whaley 432. PIN PALS

1. Mickey Perez CPA.....39 2. Moshiers S & S 321/2 6. Cornell Ins & Real Estate......23 7. Rochettes......201/2 nick 139, S. Hinds 138. High Series: D. Phelps 418, W. Millikin 359, D. Cinciala 344. High Game: M. Goddard 167, R. Montgomery 165, B. Brown 162. High Series: M. Goddard 360, B.

Brown 353, J. Owens 347. LITTLE RASCALS 8. Mac's Drugs 14½ High Game: C. Fedewa 125, S. Hinds

123, L. Wisniewski 122. High Series: C. Fedewa 244, S. Hinds 244. L. Wisniewski 203. High Game: B. Harris 157, D. Morse 131, B. Jansma 126. High Series: B. Harris 296, B. Jansma 241, D. Morse 227.

RECREATION LEAGUE Scheer Motors 2. Timberview Village.....30 3. R & H Sports 291/2 4. Krumrei Beverage......291/2 . Grayling State Bank29 . Grayling Power & Equipment 28 9. Terry's Sports Center 28 10. Grayling Judo Club27 High Game: J. Wiltse 209, A. Andrus 197, K. Moshier 193.

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Moshier 517, D. Zelek 500.

High Series: J. Wiltse 546, K.

Dick and Jean Raab have returned from a vacation trip to Gulf Shores, Alabama, and from there on down the East Coast of Florida to Key West, visiting friends enroute. They came home by way of the Caro-

Ken and Agnes Carlisle spent about a month in Florida and the other three weeks of their vacation enroute, going by way of N. Carolina to visit her daughter and family. In Gulf Shores, they visited Leo and Lucille Bagrosky and in Florida, Keith and Caroline

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Two Named To Dean's List

Midland- Bonnie Jane Keusch and Jennifer Ann Alef of Grayling have been named to the Dean's List for winter term announced Edgar A. Madden, vice president of academics and dean of the college.

To achieve Dean's List recognition, students must earn a 3.0 grade-point on a 4.0 scale.

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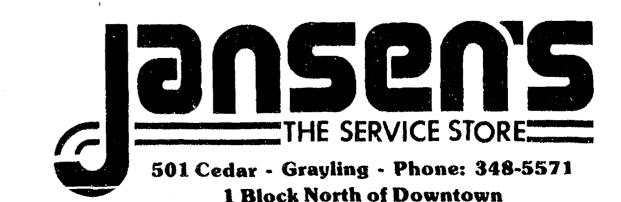
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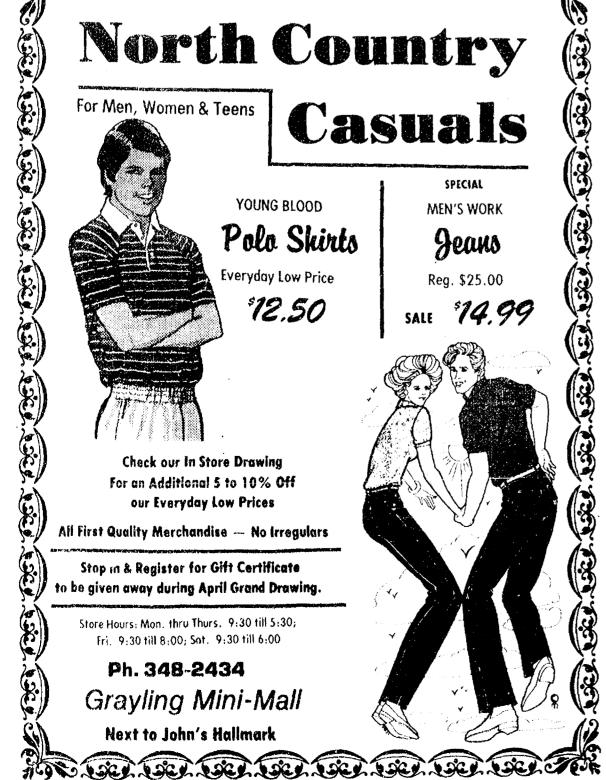
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